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Airport gears up for future



Road upgrades favored

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

A potential five-year plan for road renewals in Romulus has been approved by the City Council, with Mayor Beverly McAnally and engineering officials slated to draw up the plan.

Robert W. McLachlan, who resides on Wild Fox Court, told McAnally and the council that he and other city homeowners would assist in selling any road millage program to the voters this fall or any other designated time.

McLachlan attended the Monday night council session to complain about the city's road conditions stating there was a critical need, even a desperate need for road repairs.

"As residents we are looking to work with you as our city leaders," he promised.

McLachlan said he had met earlier with McAnally, Councilman Randy Gear and a city engineer in an attempt to get some action started on a road repair program.

McLachlan said his neighborhood is constantly flooding and the residents are seeking some quick action on their complaints.

McAnally said if the council agreed, she would favor a five-year plan to upgrade the streets on a priority basis with LeRoy, Hanna, Beverly and Harrison streets among the first to be considered.

The mayor complained that since the voters turned down a road millage offer several years ago, the Department of Public Works and others hired by the city have been involved in a vicious circle of cold patching existing roads.

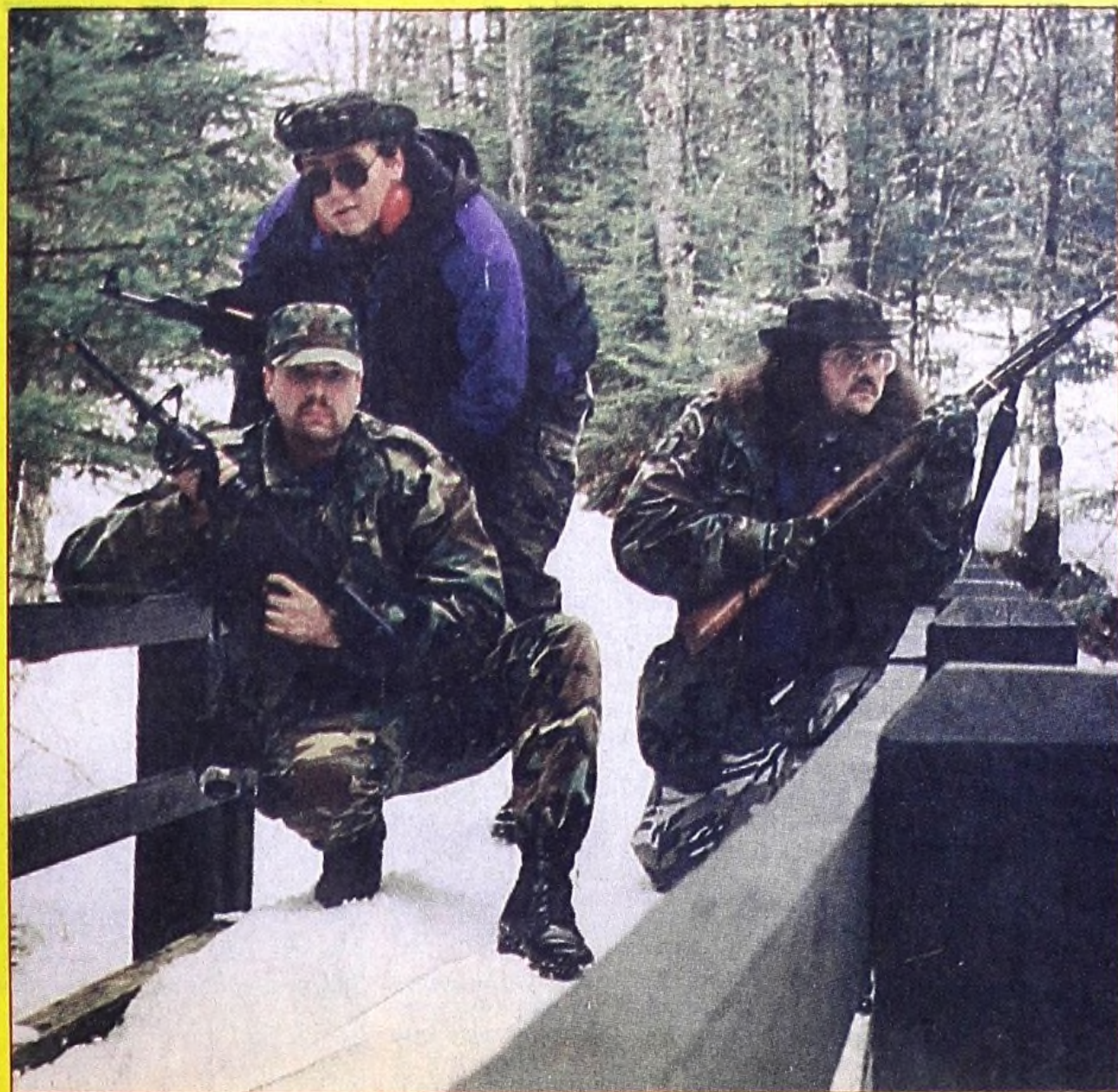
Some residents complained that the city's street sweepers remove part of that cold patching each month and then they are back with rutted streets again.

One unidentified neighbor turned over numerous color photos of the pothole problems to the Department of Public Works on Monday and even brought in a huge chunk of curbing that had broken loose in front of his home.

McLachlan and others said gravel and other heavy materials also get thrown up on their lawns during the street cleaning process, that causes other problems.

DPW officials agreed to visit the area to examine the complaints of flooding and gravel tossing and to give a report back to the council in the coming weeks.

McAnally said the cost of the road project may have to spread out over more than five years, but admits the voters need to be informed of the repair schedule and the list of roads to be upgraded, prior to any millage vote being taken.



Militia men

Lee Miracle of Wayne (right) and two other men from the Michigan Militia, who declined to be identified, participate in maneuvers. Insiders say that moderates in the movement are abandoning the militia after radical members of the militia were linked with terrorists activities. (See an in-depth story of the militia on Page A-12)

Court administrator replaced by veteran team of three

By AL POST
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Law Day 1995 at the 34th District Court in Romulus featured an announcement that a trio of women will fill the void of court administrator created by the unexpected departure of Michael Ramsey more than a month ago.

A press release from Chief Judge William J. Szlinis, revealed that the administrator responsibilities will be filled by:

- Director of Probation Services Carol Bowman
- Manager of the Criminal Division Clema Pond
- Manager of the Civil Division Oneita Davis

According to Szlinis the "new management structure that embraces a team approach to court administration" has been created. He said the contemporary management practices style has worked well in the private sector, and he expects that it will take the court handily into the next century.

Szlinis said that Pond, a 20-year court employee, also was sworn in as clerk to the court.

He said that all three dis-



Judge William Szlinis

trict judges, including veteran Judge Henry Zaborowski and new Judge Tina Brooks Green, are most confident that the abilities of the trio, who collectively have 50 years of court experience, including almost half in management roles, will professionally fill the needs of the communities the 34th District Court serves.

Pond, who formerly served as court recorder for Zaborowski, has been succeeded by Lisa Pond.

Szlinis also reported that

the court is in the process of upgrading its information system and is reviewing its current telephone system.

Former 34th District Court Administrator Nancy Schuetz's trial on three embezzlement charges involving up to \$260,000 in missing court funds began this week in Circuit Court in Detroit.

Her successor, Ramsey, served about 15 months, and installed more than 100 changes in court bookkeeping and other procedures recommended by the Michigan Supreme Court.

In his terse resignation letter, Ramsey cited family concerns as one of the prime reasons for his resignation. Ramsey, a divorced father of two daughters, has reportedly moved back to the Lansing area.

At 2 p.m. today, all three judges and leaders from the five municipalities the 34th District Court serves, will meet to discuss the possibility of dividing the court into two distinct court houses. The municipalities include Romulus, Belleville, Sumpter Township, Huron Township and Van Buren Township.

Romulus Festival canceled for 1995

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

The Romulus Festival, long the center of the local Michigan Week activities, has been canceled for 1995.

The surprise announcement came Friday from Romulus Parks and Recreation Department Director Brian Hitsky.

Hitsky said he was informed by the Romulus Festival Committee Chairman Laurie Klukowski last Friday that the festival had to be canceled because of a lack of amusement rides.

This would have been the 13th annual city festival and parade, but Community Development Director Jane Downing said that the parade also has been canceled.

Local officials are scrambling to get letters out to local parade and festival participants and volunteers to inform them of the cancellations, several committee members said.

The parade had been planned for 6 p.m. May 19 and the three-day festival then would have begun.

The only local activity that will go on schedule is the ground breaking for the 18th Century homes in the historical area of the city.

What caused the rupture of the planned amusement ride activities has not been revealed. One committee member said the committee had a three year contract with Wade Shows and the contract was in its third year.

Apparently Klukowski was informed recently that Wade Shows would not be able to fulfill its pact, but that could not be verified.

Another source noted that the committee had neglected to obtain the state license necessary to stage the bingo games, which were one of the popular draws for the festival.

Klukowski did not return a message placed on the festival hotline last week, although one official said she did admit receiving it.

Up until last week the hotline was still stating that the festival was to open May 19.



Brian Hitsky

A check with the hotline on Tuesday revealed a message that announced the cancellation of the festival and contained an apology for the inconvenience caused to individuals and groups.

Persons wishing to contact the Festival Committee can still call the hot line, 955-1440, and pass messages to Klukowski or other committee members.

In the meantime, Mayor Beverly McAnally said efforts will be made to supplement activities planned within the city in the coming weeks, including the Eighth Annual Mayor's Drug Task Force's Golf Outing at Shady Hollow Golf Course on June 23, the Greater Romulus Chamber of Commerce's circus program on June 26 and the annual July 4th fireworks festivity.

Hitsky is being given the Herculean task of forming an instant committee of service club and church leader members in an effort to create a number of family style events for July 4.

But adding to the festive holiday woes is the fact that July 4 falls on a Tuesday, so that any family activities to be added will be limited to that day.

However Hitsky does not want to prejudice any such activities or limitations until his committee can meet and discuss the options.

Persons wishing to assist in the July 4th planning are urged to call Hitsky at 942-6852.



Visiting mom

Portia Hester, 14, spent a day in the probation office of the 34th District Court with her mother, Deborah, during Take Our Daughters to Work Day. MCN photo by Joan Dyer-Zinner

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Kindergarten criticism grows

By AL POST
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Debbie Dick, an activist in the Romulus School District, is the latest to speak out extremely bluntly on the new alternate all-day kindergarten time schedule.

Dick, a parent-coordinator at Romulus High School, in a letter to School Board President Sandra Langley called Superintendent Dr. William

Bedell's comments on the issue a bit arrogant.

The mother of a set of twins in this school year's kindergarten, Dick said the other gripe she had was that at the April 24 meeting, she raised her hand to speak three times and was never recognized.

She also complained that she thought it was arrogant of School Trustee Pat Patterson to call for a board vote after only 20-25 minutes of discus-

sion. That is less than 20 seconds per student, she said.

Dick is the latest parent to join several kindergarten teachers to oppose the class schedule change.

But despite all the clamor, the board voted 5-2 to support the change urged by the Bedell administration. Joel Carr, assistant superintendent for finance and operations, said the

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Future flight Airport tour reveals changes ahead

By KIMBERLY WOLOSIE
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A number of positive changes are in the works for travelers flying to and from Detroit Metro Airport, officials recently organized a tour of the Air Traffic Controllers Tower in an effort to be more informative about expansion programs, construction, and daily operations.

Detroit Metro Airport was recently awarded the Regional Facility Award for the overall efficiency and safety of the airport. Approximately 460,000 operations are performed a year in the control tower. The newly expanded facility, open two years, is approximately 250 feet high and 387 steps from ground level. It received a rating of 10th in the nation for the busiest in operations.

Employees that operate the radar systems of the airport

oversee the traffic of airplanes flying in and out of the Detroit Metropolitan Airport. The systems are so advanced operators have the capabilities to zero in on any aircraft under the radar system throughout the country. Information about where the plane originally departed from, flight patterns, aircraft speed and destination can be obtained from the state of the art computer system.

Current and forecasted weather systems can be tracked for planes travelling across the country in an effort to avoid hazardous conditions. A weather system can be traced from its origin through the following day based on past, present and future weather information.

Currently underway are the expansion plans for the existing Concourse G, a long, narrow connecting corridor leading to a long ground-level

commuter concourse with a northerly appendage. Mesaba Airlines, the commuter aircraft (Northwest Air Link) park aircraft at gates along the concourse and appendage. The problem with the present design of Concourse G is distances commuters walk from the Davey terminal to a commuter gate - 535 steps.

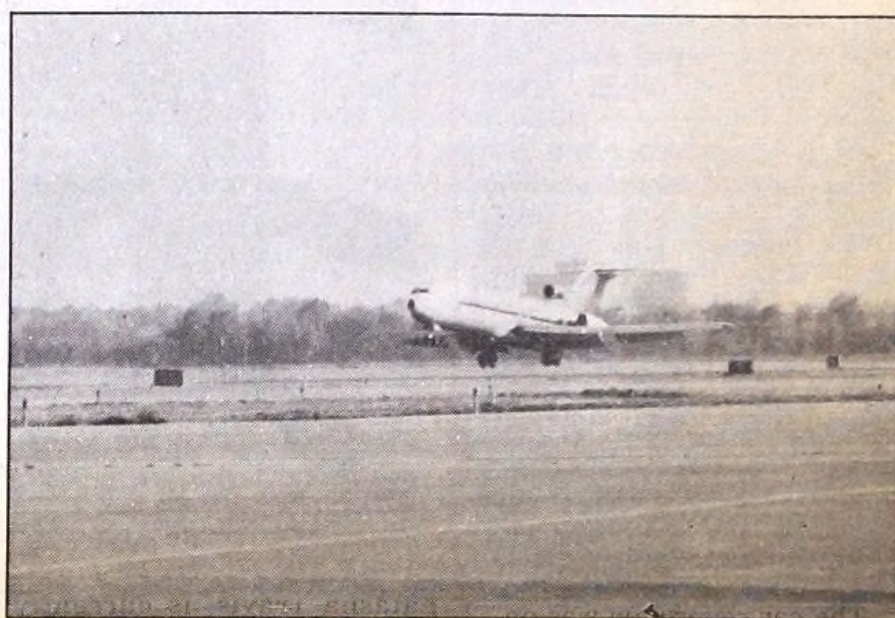
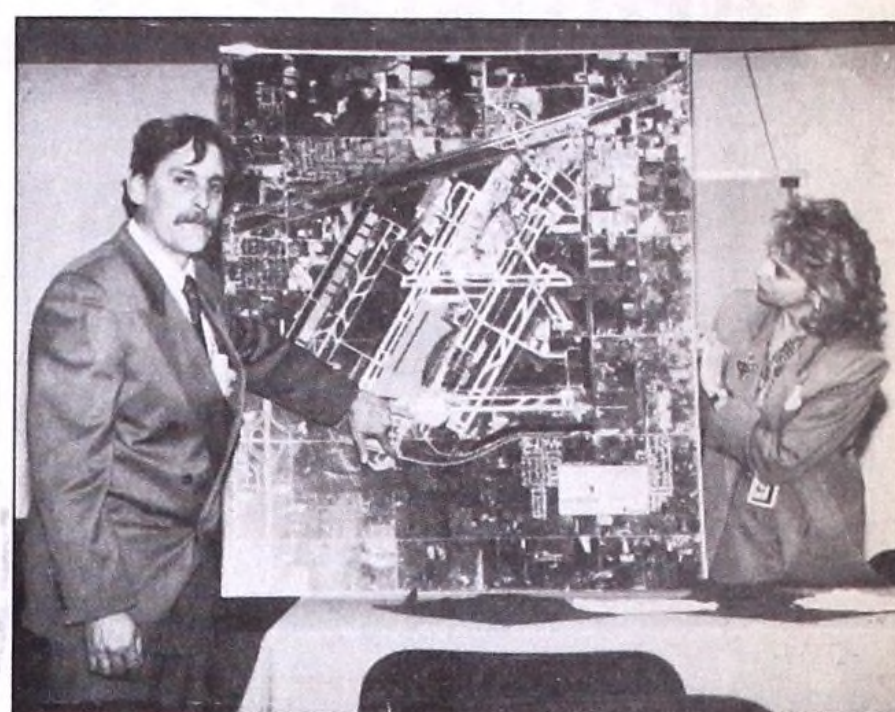
The new Concourse G plans have allocated for a wider corridor and the reduction of 385 steps from the terminal. According to Michael Conway, manager of community relations/Detroit Metro Wayne County Airport, travelers will now be bused from the commuter aircrafts parked on the ramps with less walking for passengers. "We use the existing space more efficiently with less effort exerted by the individuals travelling," said Conway.

The project, made possible

by the contributions of Wayne County, the State of Michigan, Northwest and Mesaba Airlines, has totalled \$14 million for the demolition of the existing concourse and the reconstruction plans.

Conway reported the concourse changes will also expand the ticket lobby and baggage re-check area of the International Terminal. Another downside for international travelers has been the curbside congestion, additional shuttle ride to the Davey Terminal for connecting travelers, and the re-entrance into security following the initial search in the International terminal.

When completed passengers will be separated from other arriving international passengers when they re-check their bags and will be directed to designated shuttles that will transport them.



Airport spokespersons Michael Conway and Barb Hogan, (top) talk about the aerial photo of Detroit Metro Airport and the future expansion plans for the facility and surrounding community. Two air traffic controllers (above center) plan the routes for arriving planes. MCN photo by Kimberly Woloskie

State militia linked to bombing; insider issued warning

By IVAN HELFMAN
MCN Staff Writer

After attention focused on the link between members of the Michigan Militia and the man accused of the bombing of the federal building in Oklahoma City, many of the moderate members of the organization have bailed out.

According to a militia leader, the incitement may have taken place at a January militia meeting in Jackson that was attended by the suspected bomber, Timothy McVeigh.

While the federal building was not specifically targeted at the meeting, some members talked about retaliating against the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms for the tank attack on the Branch Dividan compound in Waco.

"McVeigh was there, listening very intensely," according to the source. "He was very interested and enthusiastic. But he didn't play a leadership role. He was not outspoken."

Since McVeigh, listed on militia computer records as "Mad Bomber," had mingled with militia members and reportedly belonged to a radical spin-off group, "The Patriots," the national media flocked to Michigan to investigate the state militia, which claims to have 12,000 members. But, in reality, has closer to 3,000 members that put on camouflage outfits and practice military tactics and maneuvers at state parks.

During the criminal investigation, which has so far produced more speculation than proof, another tragic story has emerged. The story of how leaders of the 500-member Wayne Militia, the state's largest group, tried to warn local police, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and other law enforcement agencies of the growing dangers of terrorists on the fringe of the militia.

Though Attorney General Janet Reno and FBI Director Louis Freeh have stated that they had "no early warning" of the bombing, Sam Donaldson,

of ABC News, confirmed that Vice President Al Gore and other officials had been warned, by Joe Ditzhazy, about potential terrorism. Ditzhazy, a rotund former US army counterintelligence officer who suffers from diabetes, joined the Wayne Militia and became their counterintelligence officer when paramilitary radicals began to get out of hand.

For his foresight, Ditzhazy has been hired by CBS News as a consultant on militia activities.

Before leaving for New York, Ditzhazy spoke with *Eye-witness*, spilling the beans on the "massive failure on the part of the secret service, FBI, ATF, Michigan State Police" to heed his warnings and head off Michigan's terrorists.

Could the bombing have been prevented? Read on for the answer.

NEW WORLD DISORDER

The militia first came to the attention of *Michigan Community News* in the person of easy going Ken Votjeh, a former Army airborne ranger who, in August 1994, founded the Wayne Militia in accordance with his interpretation of the US Constitution's second amendment.

The amendment states: "A well regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed."

Members of the brigade, the state's largest, most of whom are from Western Wayne County, obey the amendment like one of the 10 commandments, keeping and bearing high-caliber arms. They are also committed to defending the right, which most feel is on its way to extinction, threatened by actions of the ATF and FBI at Waco. Threatened by the designs of the New World Order, an international government that militia types fear will gobble up the United States and spit out its constitution.

"The killing of almost 80 people at Waco was a plain

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McVeigh was there, listening very intensely. He was very interested and enthusiastic. But he didn't play a leadership role. He was not outspoken.

- unidentified source

atrocities that shouldn't have happened," said Westland's Mark Maslak, when asked why he was joining the militia last October.

The fear of another Waco was mentioned by almost all militia members interviewed during the last six months by this reporter.

The fear was reportedly expressed at the January meeting in Jackson attended by McVeigh, where attendees were urged to "find [the ATF]

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When dealing with a government that's questionable in its morality and its intentions toward its people, we have to have some sort of teeth to back up our words.

- Ken Votjeh

and take them out."

However, the Wayne Militia, unlike the Jackson radicals, had vowed to remain defensive unless the government suspends the constitution. Military action would only be used as a last resort.

"When dealing with a government that's questionable in its morality and its intentions toward its people, we have to have some sort of teeth to back up our words," Votjeh explained.

Ironically, Votjeh, who recently resigned from the militia, and his successor, Lee Miracle, are mailmen - federal employees. The people with the most to lose economi-

cally if the government were overthrown. The very people most likely to be injured or killed if federal buildings are attacked.

No wonder both said, "We favor legislation."

In that spirit, the Wayne Militia negotiated with Plymouth officials to modify the local gun ordinance, bargaining rather than threatening.

The Wayne Militia also peacefully demonstrates against globalism, especially

more obsessive about Waco and a touch more paranoid about the government than your average citizen.

So how did such a peculiar but nonviolent organization become embroiled in the events leading up to the bombing?

THE INFECTION SPREADS

According to Ditzhazy, the infection began with Mark Koernke and Linda Thompson, whom Ditzhazy called "cult figures who encourage violence -- though it's hard to discern how much of what they say is sincere and how much is showmanship to bring in money," he added.

He first confronted them in February 1994, at a rally at Livonia's Clarenceville High School, attended by 1,300 people, with about 500 women.

"Thompson really inspires women," said Ditzhazy.

When Thompson spoke, she placed pictures of Bill and Hillary Clinton, Lloyd Bentsen, the former treasury secretary, Janet Reno, attorney general, and other leaders on the stage.

"At each picture, people in the audience shouted, 'Kill them. Hang them. Shoot them. We need to go to Washington to kill them,'" Ditzhazy said.

"Then Thompson says, 'Let's take guns and go down to Washington and arrest the congressmen and senators.'

"Let's go down to Texas and form a small city and invite all of the nation's firearms dealers to join us. Because Texas allows city's to succeed, we will succeed and run guns to the United States when the United Nations takes it over."

Ditzhazy was shocked. He said: "They're all serious proposals on her part. The problem with the first is that it's inciting sedition. The second is inciting insurrection. The third is inciting succession."

She finished her speech by warning that UN troops would take American citizens to detention camps and by urging the crowd to prepare for armed resistance, Ditzhazy

said.

In response, many in the crowd demanded army action, and Thompson approved, Ditzhazy continued.

Thompson was followed by Koernke, a University of Michigan janitor who claimed to be a former captain in military intelligence, who, according to Ditzhazy, urged the crowd to resist government agents who would soon be coming to confiscate citizens' guns.

America in Peril, a Koernke produced video, accuses the government of building detention camps to jail citizens before turning them over to the New World Order.

Ditzhazy feared that the brew concocted by mixing the crowd's paranoia with the calls for violence might nurture destructive impulses or pathologies, so he made notes of the presentation and sent them to the ATF, FBI, and military intelligence in February.

No action resulted. So he followed up with a second letter in March, stressing the "clear and present danger" posed by the loony fringe.

Since Ditzhazy was a former army counterintelligence officer with several undergraduate and graduate degrees in criminal justice, he thought that, at the very least, the secret service would act on the threats made against the President. Instead, the two secret service agents who called on him mocked Ditzhazy's reports, calling them "disingenuous."

Before leaving, the agents told Ditzhazy that the secret service would have nothing to do with him.

The rejection prompted him to fax the first of two letters to Vice President Al Gore, who he supported for president in 1988, suggesting that Thompson and Koernke's followers be monitored as potential hate groups.

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ROMULUS NEWS DIGEST

Driver scares horses, arrested

A 31-year-old Romulus truck driver, listed as a habitual offender, was arrested last Friday afternoon for assaulting five women on horseback with his vehicle.

James P. Grizzle was apprehended by Romulus Police officer Mike St. Andre after he reportedly drove his 1982 pickup truck in the direction of the horse riders several times on Merriman Road, south of Eureka.

The complainants said Grizzle raced his motor several times and drove in a threatening manner that spewed gravel at the women and horses, severely frightening the animals.

No serious physical injuries were reported, police said, but Grizzle was charged with five counts of felonious assault and five counts of animal cruelty, as well as being listed as a habitual offender for the second time. That designation requires the sentence be one and a half times the original charges, a police spokesman said.

The truck was impounded and bail of \$100,000 cash was set for Grizzle, who faces a return court hearing on May 10 at the 34th District Court.

Mobile home is evicted

A mobile home was evicted from the Metro Mobile Home Park last Friday, following a series of arguments between rival gang members that led to gunfire the day before. There were reportedly no injuries.

Youth officer Rosemary Cooper revealed at least two shots were fired at the mobile home, one lodging in the bedroom bedpost.

The car reportedly was operated by a 16-year-old Dearborn Heights girl, police said, and had up to three males inside.

Two visitors inside the home were taken into custody for other offenses, Cooper said. One was a 13-year-old Romulus runaway and the other was Stephen Dwayne Wright of Westland, who was wanted on a warrant for a traffic offense.

The trailer, reportedly the site of other complaints, was ordered evicted by the 34th District Court on Friday. The owner was not in the home at the time.

The persons inside the home reportedly were members of the "Cash Flow" gang and those in the car reportedly belonged to the "Cobra" gang.

Senior walkers to be honored

More than 20 dedicated Romulus senior citizen walkers will be honored at a recognition breakfast at 9 a.m. May 31 for their participation in the weekly walk sessions at the western campus of the Wayne County Community College.

The top four walkers and their distances included Thelma Ballard, 58.01 miles, Virginia Payne 57.11 miles, Helen Rounke, 54.63 miles and Blanche Bogotski, 46.12 miles.

New graffiti regulation due

The City Council is seeking a draft of an ordinance that would mandate all Romulus businesses to have graffiti removed from their buildings after given an official notice by the city.

Mayor Beverly McAnally wrote to Assistant City Attorney Stuart Trager on April 11 asking for the draft of the ordinance. McAnally said graffiti concern had originally been expressed by Councilman Noah "Pete" Bergeron.

IDirt bikers face warning

Children riding dirt bikes have been plaguing residents residing near St. Aloysius Church and School property as well as those on Wick Road, near the railroad tracks, Mayor Beverly McAnally said recently.

McAnally has asked the police department to try to eliminate the noise problem. A secondary problem is possible



Taquilla Travis, sixth grade student at Wick Elementary School, (third from right) dons a hospital mask and joins other Hutzel Hospital staff members in the children's area of the hospital. MCN Special Photo

Student excels in hospital too

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

Holding and feeding a young orphaned baby boy at Hutzel Hospital in Detroit, was one of the biggest thrills of the day for a young honor student from Wick Elementary School last Thursday.

Taquilla Capri Travis, who just turned 12 last Saturday, had the opportunity to work in the hospital's newborn area as part of the "Take Our Daughters to Work" day program at Hutzel.

She actually joined her grandmother, Valerie Smith, who is a staff registered nurse preceptor of the 3 South GYN department at Hutzel.

In addition her mother, Latasha Travis, is currently studying nursing at Schoolcraft College.

Her father, Damian Davis, resides in Kentucky.

Young Taquilla is considering either a medical or legal career.

She called the day's events one of her most adventurous and motivating experiences in recent years and said her grandmother is obviously one



Wick Elementary School student Taquilla Travis is shown as she holds and feeds tiny orphan John Doe at Hutzel Hospital. MCN Special Photo

of the most important persons in her life.

Being able to put on surgical masks and other nursing gear added to the excitement of the day, the young student said. But having a chance to hold tiny John Doe on her lap and feed him a bottle as definitely the highlight of the day.

She is a sixth grade student in Diane Golka's class at Wick School.

Tree falls, starts 2 house fires

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

A Canton workman cutting trees in the Cypress and Wayne roads area Monday, accidentally dropped a tree on some electrical power lines that set fire to two homes.

Romulus Fire Marshall David Allison said the stripped power lines damaged the homes at 35815 and 35841 Cypress. The owner of the second home, Elmer Copeland, used a

personal fire extinguisher to douse the flames at both homes, Allison said.

Firefighters arrived about 1:40 and remained until 5:20 p.m., Allison said.

They had to strip some siding off one of the homes and extinguish the fire in a grassy vacant lot near the homes.

The fire also caused some power disruptions in the neighborhood, Allison said, but there were no reported physical injuries.

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move could save the school district about \$90,000.

One mother, Denise Kovacs, who spoke out at the board meeting called the offices of the *Michigan Community Newspapers* later in the week to complain that she felt violated by the board's actions.

"They took away my right to choose on the issue," Kovacs said, "and if I didn't have some contacts within the school district I wouldn't have been at the meeting to express my feelings."

Kovacs added, "I've already called Lansing on the issue and feel we as parents have a right to know these issues are being raised and should be allowed to speak out before any board action is taken."

A second parent, Renee Gravenstreter, also blasted the school trustees for not making a greater effort to notify parents about the potential change in young children's class schedules.

"My fear is that my daughter, Hannah, who will enter kindergarten this fall will be burnt out before the end of the

long school day," Gravenstreter said.

The mother also complained that she felt the board employed a patronizing attitude, as the time switch was already a "done deal."

Two Romulus kindergarten teachers also spoke out against the schedule change claiming children of that age have poor retention skills and the fact that many of the district's children have little skill reinforcement at home.

But the heavy majority of the board members supported the change recommended by the administration, citing first of all it was only a temporary one year trial effort and then that other districts have already successfully employed the all-day schedule.

Several of those opposed to the time switch, said many parents of 1995-96 kindergarten school children have yet to be informed of the change.

"We expect a much louder outcry from them as registration time approaches," they said.

Schuette trial opened

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

The long awaited embezzlement trial of former 34th District Court Administrator Nancy Schuette has opened before Records Court Judge Craig Strong in Detroit.

Schuette is facing three embezzlement charges involved in the shortage of some \$270,000 in 34th District Court funds.

Assistant Attorney General Mark E. Blumer has admitted that he has no proof that Schuette was involved in the total shortage, but felt that the state had enough circumstantial evidence that she was involved in part of the loss of court funds.

Schuette had taken a six month leave of absence early in 1993, as an audit and criminal investigation was being conducted by the Michigan Supreme Court and the State Police.

In September 1993, Schuette



Nancy Schuette

officially submitted her resignation and was given a two month pay settlement of \$8,733. In the resignation agreement, Schuette agreed never again to seek employment with the 34th District Court.

At her pre-trial hearing in the 29th District Court in Wayne, last June, the state tried to link periodical losses

of court funds and subsequent deposits in Schuette's personal bank account as proof that the administrator was involved in an on-going embezzling effort.

Wayne Judge Carolyn Archbold ruled that there was enough potential evidence in the hearing to bind it over to the Records Court.

Schuette's assistant, Tamara (Tammy) Riopelle, also was placed on administrative leave during the audit and criminal investigation. She was never charged with any involvement in the fund shortage, but did receive a letter from Chief Judge William J. Szlinis in October 1993 that her administrative leave would end on Oct. 15 and then her employment with the court would be severed.

Szlinis informed Riopelle "your position as assistant to the court administrator is no longer necessary."

Riopelle later filed a suit in an effort to regain her position.



Court study

Romulus High School Government teacher Rod Hanna outlines some of the judicial procedures the students will be witnessing moments later in the 34th District Court. The government classes witnessed a number of live court proceedings in recent days in connection with national Law Day. MCN photo by Joan Dyer-Zinner

Alcohol traffic injuries up

By KIMBERLY WOLOSKE
MCN Staff Writer

The risk drivers -- especially young teenagers -- take when they mix alcohol and driving often ends with tragic results.

While there has been a 62 percent decrease in the number of teenagers killed in drunk driving accidents over the last decade, the number of alcohol related injuries is alarming, according to sponsors of a awareness campaign.

In a cooperative effort between Anheuser-Busch/Central Distributors of Romulus and registered nurse Barbara Babb, a program titled Make The Right Call is hitting high school students all over the country with the realities of underage drinking.

"I get the students to think based on real life experiences I've been involved in as a flight nurse," said Babb. "I try and relate to young people and the issues of alcohol in a way that makes sense to them."

The St. Louis native's nursing career began in 1971. For 13 years she enhanced her critical-care skills to eventually become a flight nurse providing emergency helicopter care. Time and time again the scene of the accidents involved drinking, driving and teenagers ending many lives tragically.

"Over 50 percent of the trauma care patients we treated at an accident scene involved alcohol and driving," said Babb.

In 1985, Babb was called to the scene of a tragic automobile accident involving two teen-aged girls.

"It was a pre-Christmas accident where one of the girls was almost decapitated and the other suffered serious head injuries. I went home and sat in front of my Christmas tree and said I can't do this anymore."

As a result Babb began assembling graphic and factual photos and stories about her experiences to emphasize the domino effect drinking and driving can have on young people's lives.

According to Babb, those

that survive an accident face a long rehabilitation process involving physical changes, family disruptions and psychological problems that could last a lifetime.

"Some marriages don't survive a tragedy like this," said Babb. "It's a chain reaction that follows these accidents."

Since 1985, Babb has been traveling across the country to more than 1,000 high schools and colleges, reaching over one-half million students with her message. The presentation involves detailed narratives of individual accidents from the flight nurses arrival at the scene to the ultimate outcome of the victims.

"I find students are very attentive when you make real life situations pertinent to their lives and experiences," said Babb. "Sometimes they come up to me and say 'how did you know that we did that or that happened to me?'"

In 1988 Babb received the Distinguished Public Service Award from the U.S. Department of Transportation for her

efforts. She has also participated in a White House briefing on drunk driving, served on the Missouri Seat Belt Coalition, and was appointed a member of the State of Missouri's Task Force on Driving while Intoxicated.

Students from John Glenn High School in Westland and Romulus High School in Romulus heard Babb's speech as part of an effort involving Anheuser-Busch and SADD (Students Against Drunk Driving). With the arrival of prom season, programs all over the area will involve the issue of drinking and driving for students and their parents.

"Once I decided it was time to get on the preventive end instead of the treatment end I began hoping students would see what I've done for a living and the possible tragic consequences of driving drunk," said Babb. "Hopefully my presentation will prompt them to make responsible and safe decisions involving alcohol and automobiles."

Walk for Life signups urged

Persons wishing to sign up for a two mile Walk for Life program on May 6 are urged to contact Maureen Savage of the Community United Methodist Church.

The walk is being sponsored by the Pregnancy Counseling Center of Ypsilanti, an organization that provides pregnancy tests, information on alternatives to abortions, post-abortion counseling, material assistance, adoption planning, chastity counseling

and housing assistance.

The walk will be conducted between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. May 6, beginning at the Community U.M. Church (across from the Romulus Police headquarters) then traveling down Bibbins, right on Huron River Drive right on Goddard, right on Shook, right back on Bibbins, left on Olive, right on Grant, right on Huron River Drive and finally right on Bibbins to the church.

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34th District Court Judge Tina Brooks Green is shown as she is joined by her daughter, Sarah, 9, behind the judge's bench. MCN photo by Joan Dyer-Zinner

Daughters welcome in 34th District Court

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

About a dozen daughters and other female relatives of 34th District Court employees joined in the job responsibilities of the Romulus based court last Thursday during the annual "Take Our Daughters to Work" day.

Judge Tina Brooks Green revealed that the teenagers had their fingerprints taken in the morning by Huron Township DARE Officer Nick Rand and were given a tour by court personnel throughout the court house and were shown all department offices and the

official lock-up for prisoners.

Thirty members of the court staff and their children enjoyed a lunch at Little Caesar's Restaurant in Van Buren Township about noon time.

The group then returned to the courthouse for the afternoon session, during which time the daughters helped their parents with their normal job duties.

Green's daughter, Sarah, had the opportunity to sit behind the judge's bench for part of the day.

Several of the youngsters also were allowed to try on the judge's black robe, Green reported.

Hunter safety class begins

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

A hunter safety education course for persons 12 years and older will be offered in the Romulus High School cafeteria May 8 through 11, with a field training session the morning of May 13.

The program (slated for 6 to 8:30 p.m. in the cafeteria) is sponsored by the Romulus/Van Buren Adult and Community Education Department and the Huron Valley Conservation Association, an affiliate of the Michigan United Conservation Clubs.

The course will be taught by Department of Natural Re-

sources certified instructors.

The class is designed for those who wish to obtain the certification required for a hunting license in the state of Michigan.

Anyone born after 1960 must have this certification. To obtain certification, registrants need to attend every class and the field training. Parents also are encouraged to attend.

Registration costs \$5 for the classroom materials and may be paid at the first session. The student's Social Security number is also required.

To register call 941-0610 and ask for Mary.

Superintendent named

By KIMBERLY WOLOSKE
MCN Staff Writer

Following the culmination of a process that began months ago, the school board, in a unanimous 7-0 vote, named Duane H. Moore as the district's new superintendent to replace resigning Larry J. Thomas.

Moore, the current superintendent of the South Lyon Community Schools, was only one of two candidates the Wayne-Westland School Board interviewed following a field of 38 candidates to apply for the open position.

Once the field of 38 was narrowed to seven, five applicants removed their names from the slate for various reasons leaving Moore and William C. Kiefer of the Allen Park School District.

The unanimous support of Moore by the board hasn't occurred for a superintendent

candidate in 30 years according to Trustee Francis Winter.

"It has been a long time since this kind of support has been made. This is the first step to do what has to be done in terms of returning this school district to the state it was once," said Winter.

The school board members made numerous comments regarding the visitation a team of cabinet members, board of education members, teaching staff, and building supervisors made to Moore's home district during the week of April 10.

"It was a good, good day," said Mathew McCusker, board of education president.

Moore's employment by the school district will follow a successful approval of a contract by legal council and the board of education. A May 8 deadline has been tentatively set to approve a proposed contract. Moore will begin his role as superintendent July 1, 1995.

A. CITY OF ROMULUS REQUEST TO RECEIVE BIDS BID #95-14

3" x 3" TRASH PUMP

The City of Romulus, Michigan is seeking bids from qualified vendors for the acquisition of a 3" x 3" trash pump for the D.P.W., Water/Sewer Department.

- (1) Qualified individuals and firms wishing to submit bids must do so on forms provided by the City. Bid forms and specifications may be obtained from **Lynn A. Conway, Finance Coordinator, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI or by calling (313) 942-7564.**
- (2) Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes and returned to the City Clerk's Office no later than 2:00 p.m., May 15, 1995. At that time said bids will be publicly opened and read.

BID ENVELOPES SHOULD BE MARKED:

City Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan
3" x 3" TRASH PUMP
11111 Wayne Road
Romulus, MI 48174

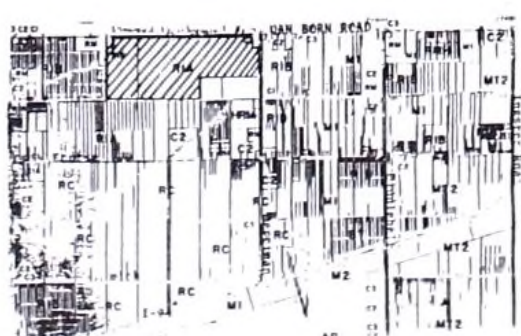
- (3) The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and proposals and to waive technicalities. A bid guarantee in the amount of 5% of the bid price will be required.

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CITY OF ROMULUS PLANNING COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING

Please be advised, that the City of Romulus Planning Commission has scheduled a Public Hearing to be held Monday, May 15, 1995 at 7:30 p.m. Prevailing Eastern Time in the Romulus City Hall Council Chambers, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174-1485. The purpose of the hearing is to consider a request for PC-015-04-95 for the creation of a (PDA) Planned Development Area zone as an overly on the existing R1-A (Single Family Residential) zoning district for residential/golf course/commercial of approximately 335 acres located South of Van Born and West of Merriman, DP #'s 010-99-0001-700, 013-99-0001-700 and 009-99-0001-700 except the northeast two acres. The legal description is as follows:

THAT PART OF THE NE 1/4 OF SEC 3 T3S R9E DESC AS BEG S 00D 34M 20S W 60 FT AND S 89D 51M 20S W 44.88 FT FROM THE NE COR OF SEC 3 TH ALONG SAID LINE S 02D 24M 07S W 381.29 FT AND ON A TANGENT CURVE TO THE LEFT RADIUS 5789.58 FT ARC 184.89 FT AND S 00D 34M 20S W 1141.86 FT TH S 51D 33M 20SEC W 47.43 FT TH S 89D 53M 50S W 2475.19 FT TH ALONG THE N AND S 1/4 SEC LINE N 00D 06M 19S W 437.76 FT AND N 00D 34M 22S 1 1297.30 FT TH N 89D 51M 20S E ALONG THE S LINE OF VAN BORN RD 2559.12 FT TO POB, AND THE NW 1/4 OF SEC 3 EXC THE N 60.0FT THEREOF, AND THE E 1/2 OF THE NE 1/4 OF SEC 4 EXC THE N 60 FT THEREOF ALSO EXC THAT PT THEREOF DESC AS BEG DUE S 60 FT AND N 89D 52M 30S W 1034.24 FT FROM THE NE CORNER OF SEC 4 AND PROC TH N 89D 52M 30S W 289.94 FT TH S 0D 16M 17S E 350 FT TH S 89D 52M 30S E 288.31 FT TH N 0D 00M 21S W 350 FT TO THE POB, EXCEPTING THEREFROM: PART OF THE NE 1/4 OF SECTION 3, T3S, R9E, CITY OF ROMULUS, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN DESCRIBED AS BEGINNING AT A POINT SAID POINT BEING DISTANT S 00D 34M 20S W 60.00 FT ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID SECTION 3 AND 89D 53M 23S W, 44.88 FT FROM THE NE CORNER OF SAID SECTION 3; THENCE FROM SAID POINT OF BEGINNING S 02D 24M 07S W, 381.19 FT ALONG THE WEST LINE OF MERRIMAN ROAD (120 FT WIDE); THENCE S 89M 53D 23S W, 228.60 FT; THENCE N 02D 24M 07S E, 381.19 FT; THENCE N 89D 53M 23E, 228.60 FT ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF VAN BORN ROAD (120 FT WIDE) TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.



All interested citizens are encouraged to attend and will be given an opportunity to comment on said request. Written comments may be submitted until 12:00 noon, Monday, May 15, 1995 and should be addressed to David J. Paul, Director of Building, Safety and Engineering at 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174-1485.

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

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CITY OF ROMULUS MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL HELD APRIL 10, 1995 IN THE ROMULUS CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Chairman Pro Tem, Randolph Gear

Present: Bergeron, Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth

Absent: None

Excused: Banks, Pennington, Raspberry

Administrative Officials in Attendance:

Beverly McAnally, Mayor

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk

James Napiorkowski, CMFA, Treasurer

Motion by Prybyla, supported by Wadsworth to accept the agenda as amended.*

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

95-152

2A. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Bergeron, to approve the minutes of the Regular Council meeting held on April 3, 1995.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

95-153

3A1. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Wadsworth to adopt a resolution of support for the 1/3 millage increase proposal on the May 23, 1995 Wayne County Special Election for the operation of SMART transportation as proposed by the Wayne County Transit Authority.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

95-154

3A2. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Wadsworth to approve Midwest Inns, Inc. request to transfer ownership of 1993 B-Hotel licensed business with Dance-Entertainment Permit, Official Permit (Food), Outdoor Service (1 area), and 179 rooms, located in escrow at 8800 Wickham from ITT Commercial Finance Corp.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

95-155

3B. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Bergeron to schedule a Public Hearing on Monday, May 8, 1995 at 7:00 p.m. in the Romulus City Hall Council Chambers, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174 for the purpose of considering a transfer of Industrial Facilities Exemption Certificate #92-090 from Federal Mogul to Borg Warner Automotive Automatic Transmission Systems Corp., 8811 Middlebelt Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174, P.A. 198 of 1974, as amended. Further to pro rate the filing fee for the application to \$5,250.00

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

95-156

4A. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Prybyla to commend Reverend Woolridge of the First Baptist Church for his community youth projects. Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

4. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Wadsworth to accept the Chairperson's Report.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

5A. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Bergeron to concur with the recommendation of Mayor Beverly McAnally and approve the Mayor's Consent Agendat items 5A1 through 5A3 as follows:

95-157

To award Bid #95-04 to the only bidder, Thalner Electronics in the amount of \$27,723.00 for the purchase of video equipment for the Romulus Cable Commission.

95-158

5A2. To introduce Budget Amendment 94/95-13 as follows:

FUND/DEPT.	ACCOUNT NAME	CURRENT BUDGET	AMENDMENT	AMENDED BUDGET
ACCOUNT NO. GENERAL FUND REVENUES				
101-000.00-477.000	Building Permits/ City Certifications	250,000	22,000	272,000
EXPENDITURES				
Recreation				
101-671.00-935.000	Park Maintenance	35,000	(800)	34,200
Building & Grounds				
101-265.00-970.000	Capital Only	28,850	22,800	51,650

To appropriate funds for the resurfacing of the Kennedy Park ice rink and to update lighting at E.J. Park.

95-159

5A3. To adopt a resolution of support and authorization to submit a City Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act Grant Application for the Goddard Road and Downtown District Revitalization Project.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

5. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Wadsworth to accept the Mayor's Report.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

95-160

6A1. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Prybyla to approve the second reading and final adoption of Budget Amendments 94/95-9 & 12 which were introduced at the meeting of April 3, 1995.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - Bergeron. Motion Carried.

95-170

7A. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Wadsworth to adopt a resolution in support of H.R. 10, a bill which would prevent the armed forces of the United States from serving under any other authority.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

95-171

7B. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Wadsworth to adopt a resolution in support of remembering the Prisoners of War.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

95-172

9. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Wadsworth to direct the City Attorney to draft language for an ordinance that would require property owners to paint over gang graffiti within a specified length of time.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

95-173

11. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Wadsworth to authorize the payment of Warrant #95-07 in the total amount of One Hundred Twenty Four Thousand, Four Hundred and Fifty Five Dollars and Thirty One Cents (\$124,455.31).

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - Bergeron. Motion Carried.

12. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Prybyla to adjourn the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Gear, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,
Linda R. Choate, CMC Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

I, Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held April 10, 1995.

Linda R. Choate
City of Romulus, Michigan

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NOTICE

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE ROMULUS COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT COUNTY OF WAYNE, MICHIGAN FOR THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION TO BE HELD MONDAY, JUNE 12, 1995

To the qualified Electors of the Romulus Community School District, County of Wayne, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that, in conformity with the "Michigan Election Laws," I, the undersigned City Clerk, will upon any day EXCEPT Sunday, a legal holiday, and the day of any regular or special election, receive for registration the name of any resident not registered, who may APPLY for such registration EXCEPT during the time intervening between the CLOSE of Registration for the Annual School Election and the day of such election.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that registration shall be taken at Secretary of State branch offices or, in the Office of the City Clerk, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan between the hours of:

Monday thru Friday - 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

AND THE LAST DAY TO REGISTER

Monday, May 15, 1995 - 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

For the purpose of REVIEWING THE REGISTRATION LIST AND REGISTERING such of the qualified electors that shall properly apply therefore, the name of no person but an ACTUAL RESIDENT of the City of Romulus, at the time of registration, and entitled under the Constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election shall be entered in the registration book.

The following vacancy for member of the Board of Education will be voted upon in the Romulus Community School District:

ONE (1) FOUR (4) YEAR TERM

This Notice is given by order of the City of Romulus and the Board of Education of Romulus Community Schools, County of Wayne, Michigan.

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

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May 11, 1995

MCN COMMUNITY Calendar



CLUBS, GROUPS

SATURDAY IN THE PARK--takes place 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. May 6-Sept. 30. Six miles of the Middle Rouge Parkway (Hines Drive) will be closed to traffic for runners, walkers, cyclists and skaters. Rollerblade

rental will be available at Nankin Mills Picnic area. Hines Drive will be closed from Outer Drive to Ann Arbor Trail. Parking is available at Warren-dale, Merriman Hollow and Nankin Mills picnic areas. The event is sponsored by the Wayne County parks. For more information call 313-261-1990.

WAYNE-WESTLAND SCHOOLS--adult education has free classes in adult basic education, GED preparation, high school completion and vocational training. Registration is currently taking place at Tinkham Adult Center, 450 south Venoy in Westland. For more information call 595-2429.

THE WINDBAGGER, AN OSTOMY SUPPORT GROUP--

meets at St. Francis Cabrini Catholic Church, 9000 Wick in Allen Park. The following meetings have been scheduled: May 7-2:30 p.m.; and June 4-2:30 p.m. For more information call Mary-president at 941-8388 or Helen at 388-2947.

LEADS CLUB, DEARBORN CHAPTER--will meet at 7:30 a.m. each Thursday at the Marriott Residence Inn in Dearborn. The club offers business people an effective means to increase their business. Phone Ed Jarvis at 277-0300.

ANNAPOLIS HOSPITAL OF WAYNE--is seeking adult volunteers for patient care, clerical, bingo, gift cart and gift shop. For an application call 467-4168.



FUN FOR ALL

WESTLAND SPORTS ARENA OFFICIALS--are offering ice skating classes. Tots through Delta classes are offered 4 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. on Mondays. Tot classes are 9:15 a.m. to 10 a.m. on Thursday

mornings for beginning skaters ages 4 or 5, or between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. Saturday mornings. Saturday times are based on ability. All classes are seven weeks long and cost \$35. For more information call 729-4560.

THE WAYNE-WESTLAND YMCA--is now accepting registrations for their new Youth Indoor Floor Hockey league. The league will meet Thursdays and Saturdays at Marshall Jr. High. The league is for area youth ages 6 to 12 years old and will meet for 10 weeks. Emphasis is on learning new skills and having fun. Games with other area YMCA will be scheduled. For more information call 721-7044.

THE ANN ARBOR JAY--

CEES--will host their first "Swing into Spring Dance Party" featuring George Bedard and the Kingpins. The dance party will take place 7:30 p.m. until midnight April 28 at the Cobblestone Barn in Ann Arbor, 2781 Packard Road. Tickets are \$10 per person by mail before April 14 and \$12 at the door. For more information call 313-434-7613.

SEND INFORMATION--Items for the "Community Calendar" should be submitted in writing no later than noon Thursday to Community Calendar, Michigan Community Newspapers, 35540 Michigan Ave., Wayne, Mich. 48184. Each calendar event should be listed on a separate piece of paper. For more information, phone our newsroom at 729-4000.

CITY OF ROMULUS NOXIOUS WEED NOTICE TO THE PROPERTY OWNERS IN THE CITY OF ROMULUS

In accordance with P.A. 359 of 1941, as amended and Chapter 19, Article 3, of the Romulus Code of Ordinances it shall be the duty of all owners of lands on which noxious weeds are found growing, to destroy the same before they reach a seed bearing stage and to prevent such weeds from becoming a detriment to public health.

If any such owner, agent or occupant of such land shall refuse to destroy such noxious weeds or cause them to be destroyed, it shall be the duty of the Noxious Weed Commissioner to enter upon such land and destroy such noxious weeds.

Any expense incurred in such destruction shall be paid by the owner or owners of such land, and the City shall have a lien against such land for such expense. Any owner who shall refuse to destroy such noxious weeds shall be subject to a fine of not more than \$500.00 and/or not more than 90 days in jail.

Nothing in this notice shall apply to weeds in fields devoted to growing any small grain crop such as wheats, oats, barley or rye. All weeds not cut by May 22, 1995 will be cut by the City and the owner of the property will be charged with the cost. Subsequent cuttings will be done as often as necessary when vegetation reached 12 inches in height and/or seed bearing stage.

All refuse and debris on the given owners property will be removed by the City at the owners expense.

Publish: April 27, 1995
May 4, 1995

A. CITY OF ROMULUS REQUEST TO RECEIVE BIDS BID #95-16

Confined Space Breathing Air Filtration System

The City of Romulus, Michigan is seeking bids from qualified vendors for the acquisition of a Confined Space Breathing Air Filtration System and accessories for the Water/Sewer Department of the D.P.W.

(1) Qualified individuals and firms wishing to submit bids must do so on forms provided by the City. Bid forms and specifications may be obtained from **Lynn A. Conway, Finance Coordinator, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI or by calling (313) 942-7564.**

(2) Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes and returned to the City Clerk's Office no later than 2:00 p.m., May 15, 1995. At that time said bids will be publicly opened and read.

BID ENVELOPES SHOULD BE MARKED:

City Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan
Confined Space Survival Air Tanks W/Escape Packs
11111 Wayne Road
Romulus, MI 48174

(3) The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and proposals and to waive technicalities. A bid guarantee in the amount of 5% of the bid price will be required.

Publish: May 4, 1995

A. CITY OF ROMULUS REQUEST TO RECEIVE BIDS BID #95-15

DUMP BODY & HOIST FOR SINGLE AXLE DUMP #109

The City of Romulus, Michigan is seeking bids from qualified vendors for the acquisition and installation of the dump body and hoist on City of Romulus Dump Truck #109.

(1) Qualified individuals and firms wishing to submit bids must do so on forms provided by the City. Bid forms and specifications may be obtained from **Lynn A. Conway, Finance Coordinator, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI or by calling (313) 942-7564.**

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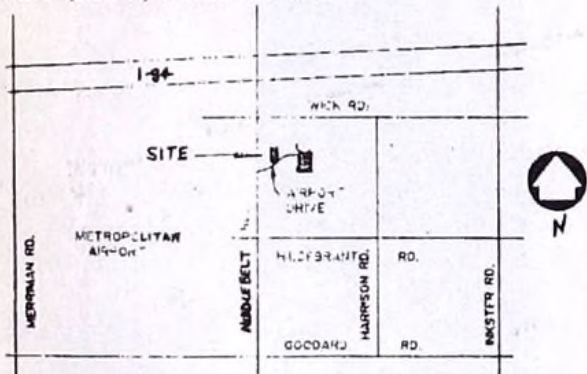
City Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan
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11111 Wayne Road
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CITY OF ROMULUS PLANNING COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING

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All interested citizens are encouraged to attend and will be given an opportunity to comment on said request. Written comments may be submitted until 12:00 noon, Monday, May 15, 1995 and should be addressed to David J. Paul, Director of Building, Safety and Engineering at 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174-1485.

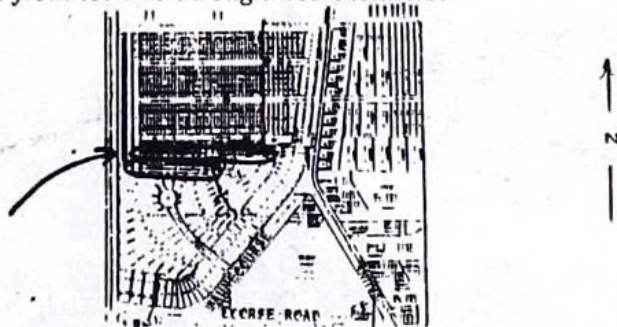
Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

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NOTICE CITY OF ROMULUS STREET & ALLEY VACATION

Notice is hereby given, that the City Council of the City of Romulus, has scheduled a Public Hearing to be held in the Romulus City Hall Council Chambers, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174 on Monday, June 5, 1995 at 7:00 p.m. for the purpose of taking testimony on the proposed vacation of Coleman Avenue and adjoining alley as follows:

Vacate the entire alley abutting lots 212 through 229 inclusive, and 248 through 265 inclusive, Grand Park Subdivision, also Coleman Avenue from lot 248 through 265 inclusive.



Written comments may be submitted to the attention of Linda R. Choate, CMC, City Clerk, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174-1485, no later than 12:00 o'clock noon, Monday June 5, 1995.

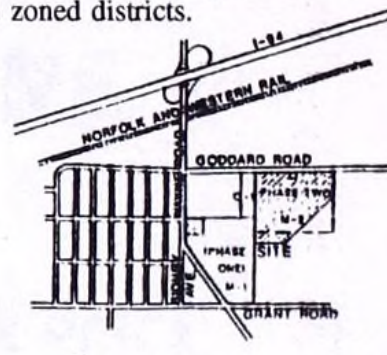
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THIS IS AN OPEN MEETING

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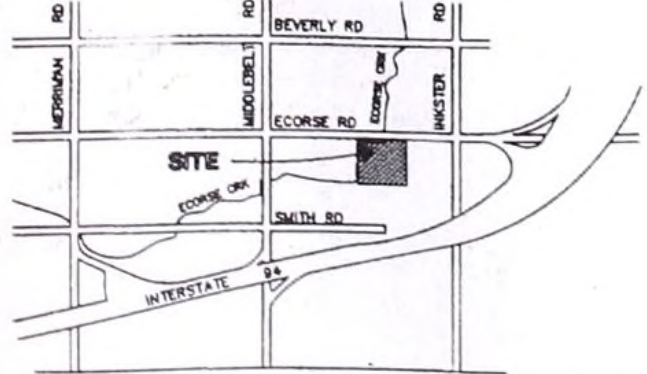
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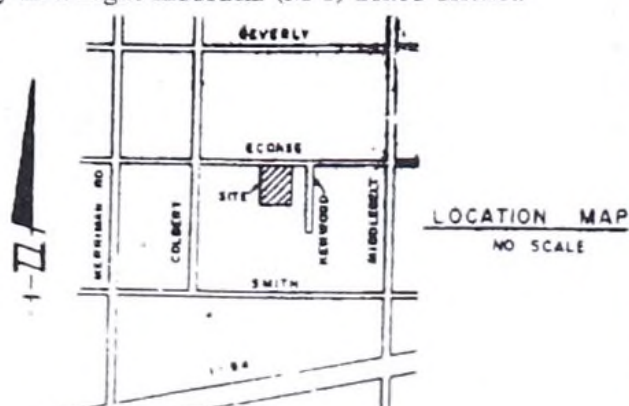
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CITY OF ROMULUS PLANNING COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING

Please be advised, that the City of Romulus Planning Commission has scheduled a Public Hearing to be held Monday, May 15, 1995 at 7:30 p.m. Prevailing Eastern Time in the Romulus City Hall Council Chambers, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174-1485. The purpose of the meeting is to consider a request for Special Approval Land Use of PC-020-05-95, U.S. Park located at the northeast corner of Hildebrandt and Middlebelt Roads for a long term vehicle parking facility in an Industrial Transportation 2 (MT-2) zoned district.



All interested citizens are encouraged to attend and will be given an opportunity to comment on said request. Written comments may be submitted until 12:00 noon, Monday, May 15, 1995 and should be addressed to David J. Paul, Director of Building, Safety and Engineering at 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174-1485.

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

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NEW ARRIVALS

Emily Rogers

Jamie and Kelly Rogers of Canton became the parents of a daughter, Emily Lauren, on March 17, 1995.

She weighed seven pounds and nine ounces at birth.

She joins two brothers, Eric, 4, and Justin, 21 months at home.

Her grandparents are Darrell and Diane Fletcher of Garden City and Ellen Rogers of Westland.

Her great-grandparents are Helen Perkowski of Garden City and George and Marion Simpson of Belleville.



Emily Rogers

Shawna Underwood

Shikenna (Wilkins) and DeShawn Underwood of Romulus became the parents of a daughter, Shawna Mariah Nicolette Underwood, on Feb. 23, 1995 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne.

She weighed seven pounds and 11 ounces at birth and has brown hair and eyes.

She joins two siblings at home, Cedric and Sierra Underwood.

Her grandparents include Bernice Wilkins of Romulus and Jacqueline and Chester Underwood of Romulus.

Amber Beckman

Courtney (Protoman) and Brian Beckman of Belleville became the parents of a daughter, Amber Gayle Beckman, on March 4, 1995 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

She weighed six pounds and 15 ounces at birth.

Marisa Bennett

Kevin Bennett and Debra Greenan-Bennett of Livonia became the parents of a daughter, Marisa Lynn Bennett, on Dec. 2, 1994 at William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak.

She weighed 5 pounds and 10 ounces at birth and measured 18 inches.

Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Greenan of Romulus; Joanne Bennett of Northville; and Gary Bennett of White Lake.

Her great-grandparents are Margaret Bennett of Detroit; Dorothy Richen of Belleville and Dorothy Czajkowski of Belleville.



Marisa Bennett

Khayl Bond

Karla Bond and Robert Beverly of Wayne became the parents of a daughter, Khayl Genaye Adair Bond, on March 4, 1995 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne.

She weighed six pounds and 12 ounces at birth and has black hair and eyes.

She joins two siblings at home, Kayon Louise Bond McKnight and Alvin Lee McKnight.

Her grandmother is Lottie L. Bond of Wayne.

Andrew Roberson

Kimberly and Michael Robertson Jr. of Wayne became the parents of a son, Andrew Michael, on Feb. 18, 1995 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne.

He weighed seven pounds and three ounces at birth and has black hair and blue eyes.

His grandparents include Charles and Mary Melvin of Wayne and Mike and Jackie Robertson of Westland.

Christopher Taft

Matthew and Cathy Taft of Canton became the parents of a son, Christopher Matthew, on Feb. 17, 1995.

He weighed nine pounds and four ounces at birth and he has brown hair and blue eyes.

His grandparents include Tom and Sue Greene of Tipton, Velma Taft of Wayne and Al Taft of Westland.

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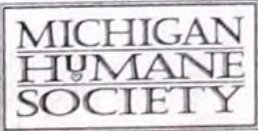


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Labadee days

Haitian port reopens to tourists, cooks up specialties for visitors

By JOAN DYER-ZINNER
MCN Managing Editor

After following the reports of coups and uprisings in Haiti during the past several years, the thoughts of visiting the island were not - at first - appealing.

But, the beauty of the 260 acres of beaches, flowers, grass and woodland at Labadee, soon removes the doubts and apprehensions.

Labadee is one of several ports of call for passengers of Royal Caribbean Cruise Lines, and was recently reopened to tourists. It is located on the secluded northwestern coast of Haiti on Pointe Ste. Honore, near Cap Haitien.

Visitors can stroll along the beaches where Christopher Columbus once walked and swim where his ships were once anchored. Also, there are remains of Nellie's Place, a trading post and bawdy house which once catered to buccaneers, and a bell tower which announced the arrival of ships.

Labadee is thought to have been discovered by Christopher Columbus in 1492, on his first voyage. He is said to have anchored his three ships at Labadee two days before Christmas, naming it La Villa de Navidad, or the village of the nativity.

Although the island is French-speaking, English is spoken in the shops and marketplaces where soapstone and mahogany statues, fabrics and tapestries, handmade pottery and paper mache work abound.

Paintings by well-known Haitian artists also are available for sale.

Purchasing from the native craftsman, who are masters at wheeling and dealing, is part of the island charm.

Haitian cuisine, like that of all of the Caribbean islands, makes use of tropical fruits and vegetables, seafoods, chicken and rice.

A recipe, supplied by the

Recall issued on child seats

Two types of child safety seats have been recalled, according to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA).

The first is the Gerry Baby Product model 626 Secure Ride infant child safety seats, and the second is the Babyhood Manufacturing Model 8200 Baby-Sitter child restraint seat.

The production dates for the Gerry Baby Product Model 626 are Aug. 15, 1994 through March 17, 1995. The seats have an incorrectly positioned label warning that any car seat used in the rear-facing position should not be installed in an automobile seat on which an air bag might deploy. If you are the owner of an affected seat, contact the manufacturer toll-free at 1-800-952-5552, and you will be sent a new label with instructions on how to correctly use the child safety seat in the vehicle.

The Babyhood Manufacturing Model 8200 problem is that after an impact, the safety buckle on the child seat may not release. This does not meet the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. 213. The production dates involved are Jan. 31, 1992 through June 30, 1993. To correct the problem, call Babyhood at 1-508-845-4231 and a new modified buckle tip and replacement instructions will be sent free of cost.

Foster elected

Helen Foster, Van Buren Township treasurer, has been elected treasurer of the Michigan Municipal Treasurers Association, a statewide organization of governmental financial officers with a membership of over 600. MMTA provides continuing education about financial practices and promotes discussion about the management of public funds.

In announcing Foster's selection, MMTA noted her expertise.

Royal Caribbean Cruise Lines, features the flavor of the French background of the island. We speculate, however, that the Haitians may find a way to substitute some of the liquid ingredients with Rhum Barbancourt, said to be the best rum in the world.

Coq Au Vin
7 lb. chicken

4 cups red Burgundy wine
2 tsp. chopped garlic
1 Bouquet Garni (parsley stems, thyme and bay leaf in a cheesecloth bag)
1/3 cup vegetable oil
1/4 cup cognac
3-1/2 cups chicken wine sauce
1/2 cup julienned bacon
1-1/4 cups fresh mushrooms,

quartered
1-1/4 cups pearl onions
Put aside wings, drumsticks and backbones to make the Chicken Red Wine Sauce. Marinate the remaining chicken parts in the burgundy for 2 to 3 hours. Drain and lightly flour, saute them in the oil until golden on both sides. Remove to another saute pan. Add

chopped garlic to the chicken in the pan. Pour over cognac, heat and ignite. Add the red wine from the marinate, the Chicken Red Wine Sauce and the Bouquet Garni and simmer for approximately 25 minutes. Discard the Bouquet Garni and transfer chicken and sauce to the serving dish. Do not overcook. Boil the ju-

lienned bacon for 10 minutes and strain. Saute the pearl onions and mushrooms and add the bacon and continue sauteing for 3 minutes. Scraping the pan, pour the sauteed mixture over the chicken stew. Garnish with croutons or parsley, if desired. Serves 8.

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YWCA activity 'Daughters' brought to workplaces

By JOAN DYER-ZINNER
MCN Managing Editor

When Mary Wooten, YWCA of Inkster program director, began to round up volunteers to stage her third annual Take Our Daughters to Work Day, she had no idea that a national tragedy would interfere with her plans.

"Last year, we had volunteers from the FBI and the U.S. Marshal's office who participated in the event, but because of the Oklahoma City bombing, they weren't available this year," Wooten said. Conflicts in schedules also kept a few other participants from returning this year, she said.

"What's important is that we had some eager and interested volunteers and some girls who really enjoyed and benefited from their experiences," Wooten said.

At 8:30 a.m., the students and the adult volunteers met at the YWCA for a continental breakfast, left for their various business sites and returned at 3 p.m. April 27.

As the participants gathered at the YWCA in the morning, they discussed their plans for the day.

Among the volunteers was June West, director of marketing for the SMART regional bus line.

"We have 70 to 80 people in our downtown office, and I'll introduce my 'daughter' to my staff and let them show her what a typical day is like," West said.

West noted that she did not make a career decision until she was attending college, and would have welcomed the opportunity to learn about different careers before making her choice.

Karen Masi-Roettger of Rosenau Honda planned to give her student an overview of what goes on in a dealership from accounting to leasing to service.

"We haven't participated in this before, but Mr. Rosenau is very interested in our involvement in the community, and

See YMCA, page A-9



34th District Court officer Neil Jones (above) shows his daughters, Erin, 14, and Mollie, 15, some of his tasks. At the bottom left, Nichol Pond, 16, spends the day with her mother, Clema Pond at the district court. Inkster Police Chief Terry Colwell (top left) shares his office with Tahitia Hicks during the YWCA-sponsored visit. MCN photo by Joan Dyer-Zinner



Fishing Derby slated

Canton Parks and Recreation is hosting the 8th Annual Kids Fishing Derby at Heritage Park Ponds from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. May 6. The fee of \$1 per child, to be paid the day of the event, covers a one-hour fishing period for rainbow trout, stocked in the ponds for the occasion. First prize for the largest fish caught is a \$100 savings bond. Advanced registration is recommended.

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Sing for supper

Performing for the benefit of the Tri-Community Substance Abuse Task Force at a fund-raising spaghetti dinner are members of the Ambassadors Chorale. Jackie Loria and Andrea Brown (above) belt out a tune. Gladys Murray (top right) sings, and LeKisha Reese and Linzi Bokor (bottom right) do a dramatic duet. MCN photo by Kimberly Woloskie



YWCA

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I'm sure we shall continue to do these type of activities in the future," Masi-Roettger said.

Theodora Rozier of the Inkster Housing Commission said she planned to show her student some of the paperwork that is done in the office.

"This is a very positive program for the YWCA. It will help young women make deci-

sions on what they want to do with their futures," Rosier said. "Students need to see the real world and learn about possible careers."

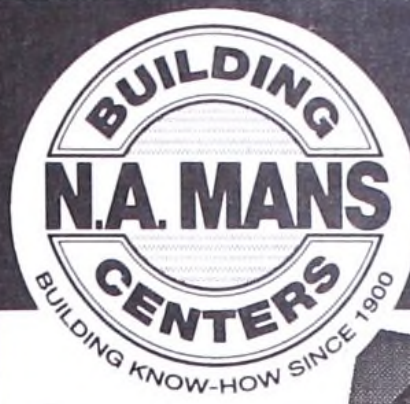
For the third year, the *Inkster Ledger-Star* participated in the event, with managing editor Joan Dyer-Zinner and sports editor and staff writer Tom Mooradian providing insights into the newspaper business.

Dyer-Zinner took Tahitia Hicks to a photo assignment at the 34th District Court and both staff members accompanied her on a visit to the Inkster Police Station and Inkster City Hall.

Tahitia also toured the newspaper office and sat in on an interview.

Prior to their introduction to the workplaces of the volunteers, Delmonica Orr said she wanted to be a nurse and Kyanna Finch said she would like a career in mass communications or early childhood education. Ayesha Brentley said she is divided between cosmetology and counseling and Yolanda Adams wants a career in computers or electronics.

Tahitia Hicks plans to pursue a career in chemistry and computer science, even after her brief introduction to the newspaper business.



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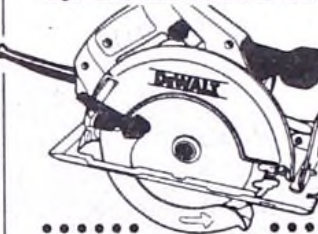


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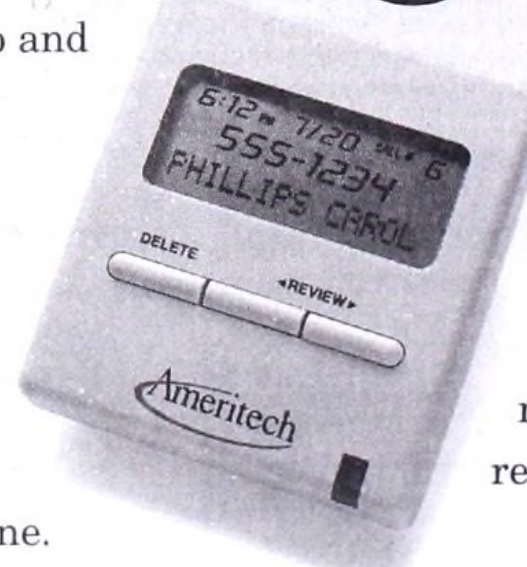
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Now that Wayne-Westland has a new superintendent, it is time for everyone within the school district to give this guy their support.



Mike's musings

Mike Wilcox

Duane Moore, current South Lyon superintendent of schools, has an enormous task ahead of him. But the school board, which rarely agrees 100 percent on anything, voted unanimously to make Moore their man.

They feel much like the Detroit Pistons hierarchy feels about Doug Collins. Years of changeover and constant bickering will now stop because presumably the right man has been found to lead the school system back to its rightful position on top of the school district heap.

Moore, widely regarded as a people person, will use his considerable talking skills to rally all of the various factions around his plan of action. Hopefully, those factors will give him the chance he deserves.

This week *The Romulus Roman* reports the Romulus Festival has been postponed at the very least, and possibly killed for eternity. It appears that internal bickering amongst committee members has destroyed this popular event.

First, we were told the very popular 10K run was pulled from the list of events because organizers of the run met with resistance from festival committee members. Then last week, rumors were circulating that the carnival rides had not been secured for that date.

This is a tragedy. Although not as big as neighboring Belleville's Strawberry Festival, the Romulus Festival was a big event on the Romulus calendar. People from all over stopped by to partake in festival events. Let's pray that some organization somewhere will pick up the festival ball and reschedule this event later in the year.

In this week's *Eyewitness*, reporter Ivan Helfman tells a harrowing tale of how local militiaman, Joe Ditzhazy, tried repeatedly to warn the FBI and Vice President Al Gore that the militia movement was going to spawn violent action.

Ditzhazy is familiar with all the militia characters McVeigh, the Nichols, Koernke, Linda Thompson, the Montana fanatics. He rattled on Koernke's attempted plot to blow up the alleged arsenal at Camp Grayling. He racked up a huge phone bill and fax fill in an effort to warn our federal officials of impending danger.

They chose not to listen. They probably assumed him to be a crackpot like others that had concocted wild stories that when checked out, were always found to be lies. The problem with their assumption, however, is that Ditzhazy is different. He was on the inside. He had access to the information. And from what the television networks have gleaned, he is creditable.

So why didn't the feds listen? Can someone tell us?

Westland Mayor Robert Thomas in a Letter to the Editor, (see this week) thinks that we have been remiss in failing to print some of the good things going on in Westland. In regards to the library he is probably right, but overall I take exception.

One of the reasons the Westland Good News was started was because Mayor Thomas had complained vociferously about our propensity to dwell on the negative. Now we print a six-page section each month totally devoted to Westland Good News (see Section D this week).

If we've failed to mention an item there, maybe we don't know about it. So often people assume the newspaper knows all. Unfortunately, we don't know anything unless we are told. Mayor, city officials or residents wishing to have a story appear in the newspaper need only pick up their phone and dial 729-4000. We are truly here to serve you!



Mayor's proud of library

To the editor:
I just finished reading your editorial of April 20. I want to commend you on the article. It's nice to see a local paper give recognition to two fine communities who are working very hard to see that their citizens receive the best that they can get.

Wayne's new library will be a nice addition to their city, and I know that Mayor Warfield, John Zech and many other officials in Wayne worked hard to make that happen. Canton will have one of the best recreation complexes in the area, and Supervisor Yack and the trustees in Canton have done a great job for their citizens and community. too often, city officials take criticism for mistakes without getting any recognition for the good they do. For that I commend you. Now, let me begin with some criticism.

Perhaps you have forgotten Westland - the City that has selected your paper as its official newspaper. We are building a brand new 33,000 square foot, state-of-the-art library, which unlike most libraries, will be entirely paid for when we open the doors. Very few communities can say that, which makes it unique. There will

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be no debt for our residents to pay for the construction, equipping, and initial stocking of the new library. They will only have to pay up to one mill for the operation of the library. Our residents are getting a great deal; and it is because the mayor, city council, library board and many other people have worked hard and supported this new project. It is strange that you would leave Westland's story out of your editorial. Why?

Maybe you should do some research on other communities and compare what Westland offers. Check and see how many other cities do such things as neighborhood walks, and regularly scheduled Town Hall meetings. You won't find many, if any at all. I would think you would want to write about something so unusual, but I have yet to see that. I guess I had hoped for more after you took over, but I guess I will chalk it up to wishful thinking. Maybe you don't feel that we as city officials deserve any better than this, but your readers do and, ultimately, they are the ones to suffer.

Sincerely
Robert J. Thomas
Mayor

Rights should remain

To the editor:
Should the American people be willing to give up any "rights" in the wake of the Oklahoma City bombing? Absolutely not!

Why? Because terrorism and conspiracy to commit terrorism or any other unlawful act always has been illegal. And the federal government is already fabulously endowed with the resources necessary to combat any such illegal activity.

The real question is: Why has terrorism occurred in America's heartland? The unfortunate and concise answer is: Angry white males.

The United States has changed. Economically, socially and culturally we are not the same country we were 20 years ago. Much of that change has occurred at the expense of our working class male population.

Factories have closed, wages declined, affirmative action programs benefiting blacks and women have been instituted, and the role of the government has increased.

Lets face facts—many white men are angry. From the halls of Congress to the corn fields of Michigan—angry male voices can be heard. Indeed, to many angry men, liberalism has degenerated into a hostile "old

girl" network.

Culturally, men feel threatened as well. Can you think of a single T.V. "Sit Com" were adult white males are portrayed as anything but total fools and idiots? No "Father Knows Best" on T.V. today.

But, should angry white males be suppressed and punished for their "politically incorrect" ideas? Absolutely not. They should be studied by the government—because they may be a social "leading indicator" of further problems to come.

Lets bring the angry white males "out of the Attic" and the corn fields. Symposiums should be organized and public discussions held on this topic. The Oklahoma City bombing was really an economic, social and cultural wake up call to America. Unfortunately, only a few will recognize it and most will vehemently deny it.

But remember—merely suppressing or stigmatizing angry persons or groups of persons will not solve the problem. The root causes of the anger must be addressed. The scrap heap of history is filled with societies that sought to suppress problems rather than solve them.

Walter Warren
Westland, MI

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FOOTNOTES: Would you be willing to sacrifice personal liberty to halt future acts of terrorism?



Della Holland,
Westland

"No. I would not. I think we've given up too much already.



Pat Bledsoe,
Wayne

"I would. Whatever they can do to stop terrorism should be done."



Marianne Seiter,
Wayne

"No. I think anyone who can't handle their liberties and freedom should not be issued gun permits."



LaDonna Davis,
Westland

"Yes. I think for the protection of us all, we need to look out for each other's interests."



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Lines open for callers

Callers to the Sound-Off 729-4006 line speak their minds about casino gambling, real estate salespeople and the condition of the Wayne jail. Individuals who wish to comment on any subject of general interest may call the Sound-Off 729-4006 line between 5 p.m. and 8 a.m. weekdays and at any time during the weekends. Callers need not identify themselves, but they are asked to avoid personal attacks and to refrain from using profanity. Here's what callers had to say last week:

If you want to sell your home to a pushy real estate company, try a local one. They will even come to the hospital after you have had major surgery and stick papers under your nose and ask you to sign them. And, dummy me, I signed them. I tried to tell that the windows needed to be replaced. I told the broker that I complained to the Realtor's board about this, and they said that they have come to the hospital before to sign papers. And the fact that the windows won't stay open - the real estate agent said that the people who buy it can get rods and from the hardware store to keep them propped open. If it was me, I would like to know what is wrong with a house before I bought it. That company seems to think differently.

Hi. I am calling about the question of whether or not I would like to see casino gambling in Romulus and Inkster. No, I would not. There is already enough crime in this area, and putting casino gambling in would only make it worse.

Do you want to go to one of the filthiest places in Wayne. I was arrested because my daughter said that I slapped her in the face. I had to say this, but I was treated like I had killed someone. I take a lot of medication and I had to ask repeatedly to get it while in custody. I could not get water out of the tap because it did not work. The entire jail cell was filthy from the toilets to the bed. The officers' attitudes were also very negative toward me. I hope the people who put me in there are happy.

Editor's note: Individuals who have comments on the following subjects are invited to call 729-4006 to present their views.

Should the government take a stronger role in halting militant dissenters?

Would you be willing to have your personal freedom diminished to ensure that bombings and acts of terrorism could be prevented?

Do you believe residents of Western Wayne County should be allowed to vote for Recorder's Court judges whose jurisdiction includes the Western Wayne County area?

LETTERS

Appreciation expressed

To the editor:
I would like to send a letter of appreciation for all your assistance on my recent winning of \$10,000 towards a new automobile. Anna and I feel very fortunate on this once in a lifetime event.
We wish to thank Ron Spielman and all the staff members who were involved. Thank you, to the owner of the newspaper for making this possible.
Bob Seluk
Canton
Editor's note: Seluk was the winner of the \$10,000 Auto Giveaway sponsored by Michigan Community Newspapers.

Small firms celebrate

To the editor:
Small businesses across Michigan and America once again will be celebrating National Small Business Week during the first week of May. Unlike much of the last decade, however, 1995 gives small-business owners lots to smile about.
For the first time in decades - legislators at the federal and state levels are promoting meaningful reforms that foster job creation and help to grow the economy; that rein in overzealous and costly regulations which perplex and intimidate small-business owners; and that reduce the threat of frivolous, expensive litigation.
In recent years, small businesses have been at the leading edge of an enormous economic transition. While

large firms continue to downsize, small businesses have been on the rise. Entrepreneurs with fewer than 50 employees have created 85 percent of all new jobs in America over the last 13 years. Those with fewer than 20 workers produced more than half of all net new jobs. Individuals who once worked for large corporations have turned to entrepreneurship by the thousands, starting their own enterprises to merchandise their experience and talent to customers near and far. These new voices have joined millions of existing business owners and are being heard and heeded by public officials. Despite general consensus that the U.S. health care system needs improvement on many fronts, lawmakers listened last year when their small-business constituents told them that employer mandates were a bad idea. Many of the Congressmen and state legislators who repeatedly turned a deaf ear to small-business problems suffered defeats in last fall's national and state elections. The National Federation of Independent Business is proud of the civic leadership being displayed by more than 600,000 members nationwide. They - and the lawmakers who understand the risks and challenges small business faces - are at the forefront of a new age of American economic opportunity and vitality. Please join them in celebrating National Small Business Week.
Charles Owens
State director

Thanks for donations
To the editor:
We would like to thank all our friends and supporters, who have helped us raise

money for Lyme Disease research in Michigan.
To Patti O'Chel, who generously opened her house for a hot dog lunch following the drive, and to all the hardworking kids who walked hours to collect bottles and cans, we thank you.
To our drivers, Linda Fairchild and Linda Maylone who gave their time to patiently and carefully kept track of our collectors, we thank you. To the people who very generously gave us their cans, bottles and donations, and to all the patrons and customers who stop at Creative Treasures in the mall to leave donations, we thank you.
To the Farmer Jack manager of the Wayne store who took most of our bottles because it was for a good cause and to Apryl who counted all those bags full of returnables, we thank you. To Diane Mayberry for selling fundraiser candy, we thank you.
Your kindness and generosity is greatly appreciated and each donation, no matter how small, makes us that much closer to our goal.
Karen Gidley
Connie Siese
Lyme Disease Assn., Wayne

Violence protested

To the editor:
Where will it stop, children killing children with guns in homes? Parents should be liable for these guns. It should be a law that parents are responsible for having these guns where children have access to them.
Betty Savage
Westland

Injuries are top health risk

The top health risk for American children, 14 and younger, isn't violence, drugs or disease. It's injuries. Each year, approximately 7,200 children ages 14 and younger are killed from unintentional injuries and 50,000 are permanently disabled - a figure that prompted National Safe Kids Week on May 6 to 13. More than 80 national organizations and 160 coalitions, including AAA Michigan, are taking part in the injury prevention campaign. "Unintentional injuries cause needless tragedies," says Jerry Basch, AAA Community Safety Services manager. "But we can help protect children with proper safety measures." To help avoid injuries, the Auto Club recommends the following simple steps:
• Motor vehicle crashes are the leading cause of injury-related deaths for children ages 14 and under.
When children outgrow the safety seats, at about 40 pounds, use a booster seat with safety belts until the children weigh over 60 pounds or can fit properly in the belt alone, Basch says. Follow the manufacturer's instructions carefully.
If all vehicle occupants ages four and under were restrained, 200 lives could be saved and 20,000 injuries prevented annually, traffic safety

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- Jerry Basch

experts say.
• With the exception of the automobile, bicycles are associated with more childhood injuries than any other consumer product.
Cyclists ages 14 and under are at five times higher risk for injury than older cyclists. Head injury is the leading cause of death in bicycle crashes.
"About 80 percent of bicycle deaths involve head injuries," Basch said. "Yet only 15 percent of children regularly wear helmets."
Universal use of bike helmets by children ages four to 15 would prevent 135-155 deaths annually nationwide, he says.
Each year, approximately 1,000 children ages 14 and under die in residential fires across the U.S. More than 60 percent of these children are ages four and under.
• To guard against fires, install smoke detectors in sleeping areas and on every level of the home. Replace batteries

yearly. Plan and practice two fire escape routes.
The chances of dying in a residential fire are cut in half when a working smoke detector is present, Basch says. Ninety percent of child fire deaths occur in homes without working smoke detectors.

Signatures needed on letters

When submitting a letter to the editor, we request that writers limit their communications to no more than 300 words and that they sign the letter.
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Martial art skills can save your life

by LARRY ALLEN
Special Sections Dept.

Have you ever been placed in fear when traveling at night in an unfamiliar area? Have you ever worried when a loved one was out alone? The media helps to feed those fears with daily news stories of rapes, murders and carjackings. Americans, who refuse to surrender to today's plights, are striking back to eliminate that fear that stifles our energy and warps our lifestyles. One of the ways they are choosing to re-energize their professional and social lifestyles is by involving themselves and their families in martial arts programs of various styles. First they had to eliminate many of the myths spawned by TV and Hollywood movies that claim martial arts specialists can kick or punch their way out of any problem without injuring their opponents. At the same time they learn that skilled martial arts students can learn to use only the force that is necessary to halt an attack. The other myth martial artists quickly dispel is that such programs turn youth into dangerous persons. Studies have shown that gang members in Chicago, New York and other metropolitan cities, who have taken martial arts training gain new self-esteem and often leave their gangs and become productive citizens.

Why do some persons get seriously hurt in street fights today? Many times it is because one or both parties are under the influence of alcohol or other stimulants. A trained martial arts student would walk away from such an incident. The difference between a martial arts specialist and a street animal, is the M.A. student has compassion for others. When such a criminal comes to rob you of your valuables - or even your life - you can punch him and he will keep coming. You can kick him and he can still keep coming. You can even knock him down and he can get up and still keep coming back at you. Unlike the TV spectaculars, martial artists will not dance around their opponent like boxers in a ring. They basically will stand still, pick the right moment and then make the correct move to save their lives. Martial artists are trained to disarm their opponents, even if the weapon is as simple - but as dangerous - as a coat hanger wrapped in duct tape. The M.A. student learns to protect his eyes and throat almost at all cost, particularly when facing multiple attackers. M.A. classes will give students the skills and conditioning of mind and body to relax and stay focused on their self defense techniques that ultimately will save their lives.

Many of today's street animals have no consciences. They also usually

have no jobs or scruples and are filled with hate, anger and hostility. Those M.A. students are trained to walk with such self esteem that just their positive gait frightens off would be attackers without an incident. But if confronted the students are skilled enough to protect themselves with self defense techniques. Some attackers seek to terrorize women victims by uttering large growling sounds. Thus it is important that women members of the family also be skilled and disciplined in the field of martial arts. Many M.A. programs also urge you to develop a tactical plan in case someone enters your home uninvited and that students also become aware of any potential ambush zones near their home or work places.

An angry hostile person will not make a good martial artist. A simple experiment can prove this notion. Extend your arm out in front of you. Now bend it at the elbow and point it up. Now totally relax, move your arm back and forth relaxed. Now tense up your muscles and keep moving it. It's like putting on the brakes isn't it? Hostile people cannot relax when under pressure. They just cannot move up through the rankings. Let us dispel another false idea. Attackers are all street people. An attack can come at any moment from middle class, upper class, as well as lower class. Any person who has little or no conscience can be dangerous. They hold jobs, shop in the market place, have a sense of humor, they may even be charming. Am I over exaggerating the problem? If an attack comes once in a lifetime, it is all worthwhile isn't it?

M.A. classes vary in style so a beginner is urged to sample various classes and determine which is best for his or her physical or emotional lifestyle. When planning family M.A. needs, fathers are urged not to forget the needs of their spouses and children, and even in some cases their parents. Self defense skills are needed by all today, because no city or town (or even rural area) is 100 percent safe. There is not room enough here to pass on all the knowledge needed on martial art needs in today's society.

If you have any questions about martial arts, "ask the masters". That's what they do best. If you would rather have correspondence first, send your letters to Michigan Community Newspapers, 35540 Michigan Ave., Wayne, MI 48184, Attn: Special Sections Department in care of Larry Allen. Look for additional information on martial arts in M.C.N. next month.

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Cadillac hopes for selling coup with touring coupe

By JUSTIN WILCOX
MCN Automotive Writer

What are all of the busy executives driving today -- a Lexus, Infinity or maybe even a BMW. Well, if Cadillac has anything to say about it, they will all be driving the 1995 Cadillac Eldorado Touring Coupe.

Cadillac sets new standards for the luxury coupe market with the introduction of the 1995 Eldorado Touring Coupe (ETC). The 1995 ETC with improved Northstar engine and chassis system components, responds directly to the needs of upscale coupe buyers who want luxury appointments combined with state-of-the-art technology.

The 1995 ETC has pedigree credentials. With enhancements to the Northstar V-8 engine, there is now 300 horsepower eagerly waiting the driver's call.

For 1995, the widely acclaimed Northstar 32-valve DOHC 4.6 liter V-8 engine in the Eldorado produces 300 horsepower at 6000 rpm and 295 ft.-pounds of torque at 4400 rpm. The Northstar engine's power output increase of five horsepower is due to refinements in the intake manifold, part of the Northstar's revised fluid induction system.

The 1995 Eldorado is capable of accelerating from zero to 60 in 7.5 seconds, while top speed is computer limited to 150 mph.

While the Northstar engine was designed to ensure excitement and plenty of power in reserve, the powertrain also features innovative security, reliability and industry lead-

The 1995 Eldorado is capable of accelerating from zero to 60 in 7.5 seconds, while top speed is computer limited to 150 mph.

ing durability features. For example, the Northstar engine features a "limp-home" mode that keeps the engine operating even without vital engine coolant in emergency situations.

Platinum-tipped spark plugs, a distributor-less direct fire electronic ignition system and a sequentially-injected, electronic fuel management system provide maintenance-free durability. The first scheduled tune-up is at 100,000 miles.

Full-speed traction control and four-wheel anti-lock brakes are standard on the Eldorado. This Bosch Traction Control System engages at all vehicle speeds during acceleration, responding to weather-related poor traction conditions or loose gravel encountered at any vehicle speed or while cornering.

Cadillac's flagship luxury coupe benefits from newly styled front and rear fascias, a new front grille design and revised rear appearance at the bumper and license plate pocket. The result is a more appealing exterior shape for the Eldorado Touring Coupe.

Previous Eldorado models featured a black-out rocker panel area and black-out area below a fascia feature line. Designers eliminated the rocker

and fascia feature line to smooth the appearance of the body panels -- all the way to the ground.

Adding to the look for 1995 is the placement of standard fog lamps at each corner of the front fascia.

The 4.6 liter Northstar V-8 is rated at 16 mpg in the city and 25 mpg on the highway.

At an as tested price of \$44,557, the price of admission is not cheap. The only options on this car were the addition of chrome wheels, a CD player, heated front seats and an electronic compass integrated into the rearview mirror.

Cadillac has made great strides to be competitive with coupes like the Lexus SC400 and the BMW 325i. In my opinion, if you are in the market for such a vehicle, it comes down to a matter of taste and priorities. Do you want to invest in America, and buy a car that is highly competitive with Japanese and German competitors or do you still want to buy a car that has been placed on a pedestal just because it is not built on American soil?

America is back, and the Eldorado Touring Coupe is a prime example that it is kicking butt and hoping that American car buyers will wake up and smell the exhaust.

Cadillac is proud of the cars that they build, and they back it up with a four-year, 50,000 mile, comprehensive, no-deductible, bumper-to-bumper warranty, covering the powertrain and all major vehicle assemblies. Cadillac also provides a six-year, 100,000 mile corrosion protection.

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CONNIE FOLKS
Of Savage Rd., has been selected to receive a FREE dozen of carnations.
MAIN STREET FLOWERS
210 Main St., Belleville
697-7400
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(MAIDEN NAME) Friend from 1950's Wayne wishes to contact you. In town May 4-6. Please call Ed Cody, 981-1608, leave message.

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DAILY HOROSCOPES!
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6. Legal Notices

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that on Thursday, May 11, 1995 at 10:00 am at Mayflower Auto Transport, 5760 Belleville Rd., Canton, Michigan, County of Wayne, a public auction of the following vehicles will be held:
1978 Ford F150 Pick-up
F150LCB4437
1966 Buick Riviera 2 dr.
494876H960481
1984 Pontiac J2000 4 dr.
1G2AC6904E7347982
1991 Ford Escort 2 dr.
1FABP11171W1W273596
Publish: May 4, 1995

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Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that on Tuesday, May 9, 1995 at 10:00 am at Westland Service Towing, 37501 Cherry Hill Road, Westland, County of Wayne, Michigan, a public sale of the following vehicles will be held:
1983 Ford LTD Stationwagon
2FABP44F4DB145972
Also, May 9, 1995 at 11:00 am at Westland Car Care, 6375 Hix Rd., Westland, MI, an auction will be held in which the following vehicles will be up for sale:
1977 Oldsmobile Cutlass 2 dr.
3J57R7M410895
1974 Ford Maverick 4 dr.
4W92L247047
1982 Toyota Pickup
JT4RN485XC0043240
1983 Chevrolet Citation 4 dr.
1G1AX68R0D1151068
1985 Buick Century 4 dr.
1G4AL19R8F0414474
1977 Meg Boat & Trailer, Boat 14 Ft.
NONE
1981 Toyota Celica
JT2RA44C6B0079928
1987 Dodge Omni 4 dr.
1B38Z18C0H0324333
1981 Plymouth Champ 2 dr.
JP3B443B1U405622
1979 Cadillac Coupe 2 dr.
6D47S99278834
1982 Honda Moped
JH2AB1000CS000455
To be auctioned some time after June 4, 1995:
1983 Suzuki Motorcycle
JS1DE41A2D2101031
1984 Honda Moped
JH2AF060E0S01263
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that on Friday, May 19, 1995 at 10:00 am at Auto Salvage Pools, Inc., 19845 Telegraph Road, Romulus, County of Wayne, Michigan, a public sale of the following vehicles will be held:
1976 O'Day 19 ft. Sailboat
XDYP0487M768
1978 Ford Mustang 2 dr.
8F03Y236955
1982 Plymouth Reliant S.W.
1P3BP59B7C249676
1983 Ford Escort S.W.
1FABP1044DW230436
1979 Datsun 310GX 2 dr.
KHN10021120
1977 Mercury Monarch 4 dr.
7W37H540235
1978 Chevrolet Nova 2 dr.
1X2TU8W116842
1984 Dodge Rampage
1B7E244C1ED180248
1981 Ford Fairmont 4 dr.
1FABP21A08A167923
1979 Volkswagen Rabbit 4 dr.
1783882165
1984 Dodge Daytona 2 dr.
1B38A44D9E6106179
1981 Plymouth Horizon 4 dr.
1P3BL187D0190037
1978 Ford T-Bird 2 dr.
8G37H211676
1973 Dodge Dart 4 dr.
LH41G3R371085
1980 Dodge Colt 2 dr.
4M24JA120483
1984 Volkswagen Quantum 4 dr.
WWWFO32JE086352
1980 Olds Cutlass 4 dr.
3M58AA433103
1983 Ford Escort S.W.

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Karaoke
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BOB KLIEMANN
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Assemble products at home. Easy! No selling. Paid direct, fully guaranteed. No exp. necessary. Call 1-502-442-5445 ext. 850, 8am-10pm, Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm, Sat. & Sun.

31. Help Wanted

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For textile screen printers. Silk screening experience acceptable. 313-525-4908.

ACCOUNT MANAGER WANTED

Some college preferred, good base salary and benefits. Apply in person: Rent A Center, 3625 Michigan Ave., Wayne or call 728-1240.

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE CLERK

Entry level, must be flexible, organized and detail oriented. Clerical work experience, calculator and data entry skills necessary. Send resume or apply in person to: Spring Arbor Distributors, Attn: HRD, 10885 Textile Rd., Belleville, MI 48111.

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AFTERNOON EMPLOYMENT
for group home. \$6.30 an hour to start if trained, paid benefits. Call Roberta, 699-9289.

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Immediate full time openings for:

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*Days shift (8am-4:30pm)

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*\$5 per hour

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- Office
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- Service Desk Associates
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- Receiving

We offer excellent benefits. (Many apply to part-time also)

- Paid vacation
- Disability pay
- Life Insurance
- Medical Insurance
- Dental Insurance
- Paid holidays
- Merchandise discount
- Educational assistance
- 401K savings plan
- Sick pay
- Pay for performance

Interested? Please apply in person on May 2, 3, 4 from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Taylor Inn (formerly Holiday Inn), 20777 Eureka Rd., Taylor, MI (I-75 and Eureka Rd.)

Gander Mountain Inc.
Equal Opportunity Employer M/F/D/V
"A fantastic place to work and live"

J.B.'S PLACE FOOD AND SPIRITS

Hiring part time staff, days or evenings, cooks, day delivery person. Apply in person, 859 Sumpter Rd., Belle Plaza, Belleville.

JANITORIAL OFFICE CLEANERS/FLOORSPECIALISTS/BUILDING SUPERVISOR

Growing building maintenance company needs reliable self-starters for full and part time evening office cleaning and floor work. Health, Life, and Dental program. Locations needing help: Ann Arbor, Plymouth, Livonia, Canton and Belleville. Call for interview, 313-421-3158.

LABORERS AND MACHINE OPERATORS

needed for a Wayne manufacturing company. Full time, benefits, will train. Call 313-326-1601.

LAWN CARE landscape workers. Construction experience helpful. Call 753-9500.

MAINTENANCE

Hotel Maintenance person needed. Experience preferred. Apply in person, Crown Plaza Hotel, 8000 Meridian Rd., Romulus. No phone calls.

MATURE, RESPONSIBLE person to supervise afternoon programs in group home. Earn up to \$6.57 to start plus benefits. WCLS training preferred but not required. Part time day shift also available. Call 697-1035.

MOLLY MAID

now hiring full time, \$6-\$8 an hour after training. NO evenings, no weekends. Medical & dental insurance available. 451-9555.

47. Schools

FREE HOME BIBLE STUDIES

Non-denominational (different times to suit your convenience). Interested? Call 326-0690

59. Auctions

MARINA AUCTION

43466 N. I-94 SERVICE DR. BELLEVILLE, MICHIGAN

(From I-23, just south of Ann Arbor, go east on I-94 to Exit #190, Belleville, then go north 1 block to the I-94 Service Drive, then east 1 mile to Auction site.)

SATURDAY MAY 13, 10 a.m.

BOW RIDERS ** PONTON BOATS

** PERSONAL WATERCRAFT ** BASS BOAT

** ROW BOATS ** NEW & USED BOATS

** ACCESSORIES ** MOTORS

** OFFICE FURNISHINGS

** FINANCING ON THE SPOT **

POWER BOATS: 1995 AQUATON 18' Bow Rider w/Mercurius 3.0, Custom Trailer, Conv. top, 1992 Bass Cat Pantera II, 19' w/Mercurius 200 XRI, Bass Cat Trailer, 1992 Yancraft 17'185 w/Yamaha 115hp, & K-dee Launcher trailer, 1991 Champion 15'6" Bass Boat w/91' Evinrude 88 Special, 1984 SKI Centurian 351, I-B, custom trailer, 1984 Supra Ski-boat w/Eagle Tandem Trailer, 1990 Blue Fin 1501, Split seat, w/90' Mercury, 1989 Stratos 20' Bass Boat w/200 hp Evinrude, & Stratos Custom Trailer, 1987 Rinker, 19' cuddy cabin w/Mercurius 165 & Yachtclub Roller trailer, 1989 Thompson 18' Bow Rider, '86 OMC Cobra, 1985 26' Stracraft Islander, V-6 OMC stern drive, tandem trailer, Custom canvas, electronics, down riggers, 1992 Johnson, trim & lift, 1985 Sea Rider Bow rider w/90hp Mariner, 1988 Bayliner 17' Bass Boat w/85 Force Trailer, 1976 Sea Ray 19' Cuddy w/ 165hp Mercurius, 1969 16' Glasspar bow rider w/ 55hp Evinrude.

VEHICLES: 1978 Corvette Silver Anniversary, T-top, Loaded, 1992 Blazer S-10, Blue, Loaded V8 Dune Buggy, PONTON BOATS: 1994 Sea Hunt, 16' Pontoon Boat, FURNISHED, (2) 1994 Sea Hunt FURNISHED Pontoon Boats, 18' (1) 1994 Sea Hunt 16' Pontoon Boat, FURNISHED.

PERSONAL WATERCRAFT: 1994 SEA DOO XP, 1994 KLR Kawasaki, (2) 1993 Yamaha SX 570cc, 1994 Yamaha Wave Runner, 1994 Karavan 2 place PWC Trailer, MISC. EQUIPMENT: (2) Indefinite Go-Carts, new 3 1/2 HP, w/Wheel Factory Mobile Personal Carrier.

MISC. BOATS: Row Boats, Jon Boats, 1994 Quicksilver inflatable, 8'9" Sport, & more.

TRAILERS: (2) 24' Frame tandem Axle Pontoon Boat trailers, (2) 20' Box frame single axle trailers, Shorelander single axle trailers.

STORE INVENTORY: Various New & used boat motors by Mercury, Evinrude, Inflatables, Skis & Knee Boards, Life jackets, seats, seat bases, props, gas tanks, hoses, Electrical parts, batteries & boxes, docking lights, fasteners, boat cleaning supplies, Oil/lubricants, cushions, boat hooks, paddles & oars, boat bumpers, dolly jacks, happy trailers, Perko rod holders, compasses, Merco/OMC tach's, speedo's, gages, depth finders, OMC & Honda parts inventory.

OFFICE EQUIPMENT: Sharp Copier, Fax machine, Electronic cash register, desks, chairs, Foreman's bench, "Larsen" Boat sign.

CALL FOR ILLUSTRATED BROCHURE

TERMS: 6% Buyers premium will be charge on all invoices. Cash or Certified funds on all Titled units. Check w/ (2) I.D.'s on all else. Above inventory is subject to change. On the spot financing will be available for qualified buyers.

THOMPSON AUCTION COMPANY, INC.

(513) 426-8446

82. Wanted to Buy

INSTANT CASH

For old gold and diamonds and old watches and clocks.

DILLON'S JEWELERS

1549 South Wayne Rd. Westland, Mich. 48185 722-3839

MORNING COOK/ HOSTESS/ BUSSE

Also night dishwasher. Apply within: Reflections Lakeside, 146 High St., Belleville, 697-2511.

NEED ???

UP TO \$3,100 PER MO. (Immediate Income)

*Part time

*Don't Quit Your Job

*No Experience Needed

*Complete Training

Contact Bill Hanley at (313)425-5400 between 10a.m.-5p.m.

OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

for part time delivery agents. Don't spend all week delivering a route when you can earn \$50 - \$100 on Thursday delivering and collecting a Trading Times Route. Vehicle required. Contact Jim or Jerry for appointment, 181-47401800.

PART TIME & full time Service Agent, Rental Agent, Shuttler and Bus Driver positions available. Must have good driving record and require drug screening. Applications accepted at: National Car Rental, Detroit Metropolitan Airport, E.O.E.

PART TIME office help, computer experience needed. Call 313-941-6611.

PORTERS, WAITRESSES & SNACK BAR

Help wanted. Apply in person, SUPER BOWL 45100 Ford Rd., Canton.

RN UNIT MANAGER

Plymouth Court Nursing Center is seeking a RN Medical Unit Manager. Candidates must possess strong supervisory skills, experience with MDs, restraint reduction, and restorative programming for our busy medicare unit. We offer a competitive wage, full benefits and a clean, supportive working environment. Come join our management team! Apply in person or send resume to: Plymouth Court, 105 Haggerty Rd., Plymouth, MI 48170 or call (313) 455-0510 ext. 30. EOE

RN'S/LPN'S

We need you. LPN's earn up to \$20 per hour. RN's earn up to \$40 per hour. Home care staff relief.

FAMILY HOME CARE

(313) 455-5683

RV DEALERSHIP

(Motorhomes/Travel Trailers) Hiring sales, service, clean-up positions. Full or part time. Retirees welcome. Canton, 313-981-1535 ask for Dan.

TAKING APPLICATIONS

For part time, afternoon & mid-night shift shuttle bus drivers. Good driving record required. Must be at least 24 years of age. Apply: US Park, 9601 Middlebelt, Romulus.

WAITRESSES, DAYS, afternoons & midnights. Also experienced cooks. Apply at 11511 Belleville Rd., Belleville

WE'RE RELOCATING

We'll be relocating to the Plymouth area soon and we want YOU to join our successful team of telemarketers. Our customers call us!

We offer:

** Flexible schedules to fit your busy schedule

** Our average rep makes \$8 to \$12 per hour

** Paid training

** Opportunity for advancement

Qualified applicants should have sales or telemarketing experience and computer or typing experience.

Call (810) 489-0555 for an appointment! HURRY! CLASSES FILL QUICKLY!!

Equal Opportunity Employer

WEEKEND CLERK

Livonia bank seeking a clerk to work part time weekends. No experience necessary. \$6.00/hr. 313-591-6617.

WILDLIFE/CONSERVATION JOBS.

Game wardens, security, maintenance, etc. No exp. necessary. Now hiring. For info call (219)794-0010 ext. 8086, 9am to 11pm, 7 days.

33. Child Care

COMING IN JULY!

Stay and Play Daycare, 35612 Main St., near Mich. & Wayne. Reasonable rates, experienced staff, nurturing environment. Infants - 6 years. Enroll now. 274-2998.

40. Business Opportunity

DIRECT MARKETING Vitamins, household, personal products. No inventory, no paperwork, no delivery. \$30 start-up. Residual income. Call Richard, 729-9127.

Find It Fast

With Our Classifieds

57. Antiques

SPRING RV CLEARANCE

Must go! 150 new and pre-owned RV's. 1994 Closeouts and Demos. 1995 new models! Wide Bodies and Slide-outs. Overstocked. 10 motor homes under \$8,000. H.W. Motor Homes, Canton. 1-800-334-1535

88. Duplexes for Rent

NORWAYNE, COMPLETELY remodeled interior. New carpet, kitchen and bath. \$450 plus 1 mo. security. 810-348-7528.

REALLY NICE 3 BR, newly carpeted, newly painted. Section 8 welcome. 728-9316.

WESTLAND, 34162 Decatur. Nice 3 BR, no base, or gar. \$500. 33389 Belding, nice 3 BR, \$500, no base, or gar. 810-852-3351, 5:15-6:15pm.

WESTLAND-NORWAYNE. Call for list of available 2 and 3 BR duplex's. Norplex Associates, 722-6444.

89. Apts. for Rent

AAA QUALITY ROOMS Cable, kitchenette, maid service, low daily/weekly rates. **Maplelawn Motel**, 728-9876.

BARSDORF ARMS APTS. Westland. Large two bedroom apt. Heat included. \$460/mo. Section 8 ok. Call now for Special. 326-9008.

89. Apts. for Rent

Westwick Square Cooperative

4900 Heather

Enjoy Home Ownership at - Affordable Prices -

2 Bdrm. Townhouses • \$309
3 Bdrm. Townhouses • \$322

Excellent buying opportunity for moderate income households.

- Wayne-Westland Schools
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- Gas heat & stove included
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- Maintenance
- Club House
- Monitored Security Alarms

Located at Annapolis & Venoy (across from Annapolis Hospital)

Call 595-3444

Monday - Friday
9-12 & 1-5 p.m.

105. Mobile Homes for Sale

SHERWOOD VILLAGE Mobile Home Community

Affordable Ownership
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COMMUNITY FEATURES: Clubhouse - On Site Security Basketball Court/Baseball Field - Convenient Location

Rebates/Reduced Rent on Select Sites for New & Pre-Owned Homes
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QUALITY HOMES SALES CENTER
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AFFORDABLE NEW & PRE-OWNED HOMES
STARTING AT \$3,000.

NOW OPEN 7 DAYS!
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Located on Michigan Ave. 1/4 Mile W. of I-275

CANTON, MICHIGAN AVE., 1 BR and efficiency apartments. Monthly rental - utilities included. Norplex Associates, 722-6444.

INKSTER, S. OF Michigan Ave., 2 BR, \$300 per month, \$300 moves you in. Call 722-3362 after 4pm.

NORWAYNE, 1 BR. Stove, refrigerator, carpeting, couple, baby welcome. \$295 monthly, security. 721-6009.

Renting an apartment? WHY? Own your own home for less. See our display ad in mobile homes for sale column. Or call Sherwood Village, 397-0303.

ROMULUS, 2 BR, basement, large yard, excellent neighborhood! \$500/mo. plus security. 942-1245.

\$349 MOVES YOU IN!
WAYNE FOREST APARTMENTS
1 & 2 Bedrooms
*Free heat & water
326-7800
Corner of Venoy & Forest

WESTLAND-NORWAYNE, extra nice 1 BR, new siding, carpet, mini-blinds. \$350 plus security. 810-682-7989.

WESTLAND LARGE 1 BR

Very sharp, newly decorated, carpet, appliances, mini blinds, balcony, near shopping, cozy park-like setting. Free heat & water.

1 BR from \$400
Ask for Manager Special!
729-5654
9-7 p.m.

WESTLAND, IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY, 1 BR apartment, first floor, rent \$295/mo, sec. dep. \$350. 729-0519.

90. Condos for Rent

FT. MYERS BEACH, FL., Gulf front, 2 BR, 2 bath Condo; pool, A/C, golf nearby; available March 18-25 and month of April. Lower rates starting May 1st. (517) 684-4404.

96. Houses for Rent

NEW BOSTON, 2 BR country home on one acre, family room, 2 car attached garage. \$625/mo. plus security. 728-1934. Available May 15.

99. Mobile Home Lots for Rent

MOBILE HOME lot for rent for single or double-wide. 313-481-3321.

105. Mobile Homes for Sale

\$380 PER MONTH TOTAL Includes lot rent! Sharp 14 X 70 Memory with deck and central air. (10% down, 10% APR, 180 months). **HOLLY HOMES** 697-5400

\$5,500, 1979 SCHULT, 2 BR, 1 bath, fireplace, many new features. 483-0891.

1976 COLONADE, 14X70, 2 BR, with attached deck. Clean. Up to park code. Stove, washer/dryer included. By owner. \$11,500. 697-4270.

24 X 60 DOUBLE WIDE 1990 Holly Park Living room and family room, 3 BR, 2 bath, 10 x 20 deck. Excellent condition. \$33,900. **HOLLY HOMES** 697-5400

ATTENTION COUPON CLIPPERS! We've got the best deals around. 5% down, low interest rates, E-Z financing, etc. & you don't need a coupon. **Mobile Home Brokers, 697-2433.**

CLEAN Two BR, 2 bath, Canton. Low down, easy payments. Won't last long! **Apple Homes, 699-5055.**

OWNER TRANSFERRED must sell 3 BR, 2 bath, 1,400 sq. ft. Presidential Estates, full appliances, central air, carpet, deck, immaculate and loaded with extras. Owner will subsidize lot rent for 12 months. Call Joan at Little Valley, 313-487-8020.

106. Houses for Sale

BY OWNER, 3 BRs, 1 1/2 baths, 2 1/2 car attached garage, new carpeting and roof, 1 acre with trees. Convenient location. Asking \$117,900. 313-483-6677.

GOV'T HOMES from \$1. (U repair). Delinquent tax property. Repossessions. Your area. Call 1-800-513-4343 Ext. H-4158 for current repo list.

"MONEY WATCHERS" PRICE HAS BEEN REDUCED!

Country setting in the city, on a 1/2 acre. Remodeled kitchen, cabinets, kitchen and bathroom floors. Large laundry area.***

"UNDER \$40,000" Great starter home with updates. Bath redone, large yard. Ready when you are!! Now is the time to OWN ME.***

"L-A-N-D C-O-N-T-R-A-C-T" OPEN WATER!!! Dock, seawall, with host. Large living room, fireplace, appliances. Large utility room and workshop!!

"SUPER CLEAN AND SHARP" Three bedroom Bi-level, bath 1/2, central air, patio with gas BBQ grill. New carpeting in L.R. 5x7 cedar closet in MBR.***

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FUTURE REAL ESTATE, INC.
(313) 722-8500

INKSTER, INKSTER/Van Born area. 2 BR, garage, large yard. \$1,500 down, Land Contract Terms. Van Reken Realty, 810-588-4700.

INKSTER, JOHN Daly/Avondale, 2 BR, brick, basement, lg. yard. \$3,000 dn., Land Contract. Van Reken Realty, 810-588-4700.

LARGE LOT! Sharp 4 bedroom ranch with many extras! Two baths, living room, great room and den. Remodeled kitchen. Two garages. \$149,900.

MUST SEE! Spotless three bedroom ranch with 1 1/2 baths, family room and Country Kitchen. Finished basement. Central air. \$94,500.

QUICK OCCUPANCY! Nice colonial with 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, family room and fireplace. Vinyl thermo windows. Appliances. Patios. \$76,900.

RED CARPET KEIM OF WESTLAND
729-2500

115. Autos for Sale

AUTO LOANS Dealer will arrange low cost financing. No rejects. We finance Bankrupt, bad Credit, No Credit! Call Bob. 721-0060 721-0066

1976 CORVETTE, T-Tops, 36,000 miles. \$10,500. 427-2575 before 2:30pm.

1979 CADILLAC Coupe DeVille, good condition. 326-1807 after 4:30pm.

1980 T-BIRD, 302 V-8, new brakes, timing chain, starter, batteries, trans slips. \$300. 729-5256.

1985 CHRYSLER 5th Avenue, all power, cruise control, leather seats, A/C, AM/FM cassette stereo. \$2700. 274-0188.

115. Autos for Sale

ATTENTION! PONTIAC BUYERS

• LEASE QUOTES

• PRICE QUOTES

• TRADE QUOTES

CALL THE PONTIAC HOT LINE

1-800-95 PONTIAC

OPEN HOUSE, SUNDAY, 2-5

Dearborn Heights. 5541 Michael. 3 BR brick ranch, 2 bath, basement, garage. Immaculate! Only \$2,100 to move-in. Qualified buyer. **Gannon Real Estate, ask for Sandy, 425-0815, pager, 990-9444.**

WESTLAND 34991 WEBSTER \$3800 DN.
Brand new 3 BR brick ranch, basement.
Paint and tile for part of down payment and closing costs.
FHA/ARM MORTGAGE
ROSS REALTY 326-8300

114. Auto Accessories

GLASS TITE deluxe pickup cap for full size bed. Sliding windows and screens, locking rear door, excellent condition! \$500 or best offer. Call 313-782-9758 after 6pm.

ONE SET OF ALUMINUM Thunderbird Super Coupe rims. 16 x 7, hard to find. \$300. 721-3068.

REGULAR KARTOTE Model, 5460-KT-175, good shape, spare tire, toolbox, asking \$975. 697-3252.

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1985 LINCOLN TOWN CAR, 79,000 miles, new tires, brakes, water pump, starter. No rust. \$2100 or best offer. 722-5669.

1986 OLDSMOBILE Delta 88, very clean, beige, under 80,000 miles, new tires, asking \$3,500. 697-3252.

1989 FORD Escort wagon, red, loaded, best offer starting at \$1,000 takes. 281-3505.

1989 HONDA Prelude SL, White, auto, sunroof, air, new tires, exhaust and muffler. Low mileage, must see! \$9,400 negotiable. 697-5732.

1994 CAMARO auto Polo green, practically loaded. AM/FM cassette, 1 owner. non-smoker, 9,300 miles. Stored for winter. **MINT CONDITION.** \$15,800. 941-2485 after 3p.m.

OVER 20 PREVIOUSLY ENJOYED SATURN AT SATURN OF PLYMOUTH
313-453-7890

116. Antique & Classic Cars

1948 PLYMOUTH Special Deluxe, 6 cyl., flat head, 6 volt, many extras! Restorable. \$1,500. 595-6429.

117. Trucks & Vans for Sale

1980 SUBURBAN, good drive train, needs cosmetic work. \$1,000 or best offer. 722-3055.

1983 FORD Custom Van, 8 Cyl., loaded with many extras. 108,000 highway miles. Excellent condition. \$3,000 or best. 595-6429.

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WAYNE FORD CIVIC LEAGUE

Crown Amusements GIANT MIDWAY

Carnival

Wed, May 10th

Rides5 p.m. - 10 p.m.
Bingo6:30 p.m. - 10 p.m.

Thurs., May 11th

Rides5 p.m. - 10 p.m.
Bingo6:30 p.m. - 10 p.m.

Fri, May 12th

Bingo10:45 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Rides4 p.m. - 12 Midnight
Fish Dinner5 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Encore Dance Academy6 p.m. - 7 p.m.
VEGAS NIGHT6 p.m. - 12 p.m.
Live Music7 p.m. - 11 p.m.

Sat, May 13th

Pancake Breakfast8 a.m. - Noon
Rides11 a.m. - 12 Midnight
Magic Show2 p.m. - 3 p.m.
Music DJ By Goldtones3 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Chicken Dinner5 p.m. till Gone
VEGAS NIGHT6 p.m. - 12 Midnight
Live Music (Country BAND)8 p.m. - 12 Midnight

Sun, May 14th

Rides12 Noon - 9 p.m.
*** Special ***
Discount Senior Dinner1 p.m. - 3 p.m.
Big Band Music1 p.m. - 4 p.m.
Earth Angles4 p.m. - 5 p.m.
Music DJ Goldtones5 p.m. - 9 p.m.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 728-5010
1645 N. WAYNE RD. WESTLAND, MI



Fun Rides Games

THE WORLD'S LARGEST GARAGE SALE

is now in the planning stages. Michigan Community Newspapers (MCN) will sponsor this sale Saturday, July 22, in downtown Wayne.

In addition to thousands of items, new and used, to be on sale, the event will feature crafts people, entertainers, clowns and games. Refreshments will also be served on the premises.

If you would like to reserve a booth to display and sell your arts, crafts, or unwanted household items, fill out the form below:

Name _____

Address _____

Phone # _____

Check One

Arts & Crafts ☐

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THE BIGGEST DODGE DEALER
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'95 CARAVAN
26T PKG.

Sunscreens glass, 7 passenger, 3.0 V-6, auto trans., emerald green, A/C, more. Stk. #8928. M.S.R.P. \$19,870.
RETAIL LEASE **\$189*** 30 MOS.
CHRYSL. EMPLOYEE LEASE **\$149*** 30 MOS

'95 DODGE DAKOTA
CLUB CAB 4X4

Emerald green, light driftwood 2 tone, p.w., p.l., tilt, cruise, 268 core pkg., bright mirrors, 5.2L magnum V-8, auto trans., prem. cloth seats, 6 disc CD changer. M.S.R.P. \$25,874.
RETAIL LEASE **\$169*** 30 MOS.
CHRYSL. EMPLOYEE LEASE **\$129*** 30 MOS

'95 DODGE
INTREPID

22C pkg., full power, 3.3L V-6, ABS brakes, spruce quartz interior, 6 disc CD changer. Stk. #2933. M.S.R.P. \$20,507.
RETAIL LEASE **\$269*** 30 MOS.
CHRYSL. EMPLOYEE LEASE **\$229*** 30 MOS

'95 NEON
SPORT COUPE

Bright white, auto trans, 2.0L SOHC 4 cyl., ABS brakes, 22,000 miles, preferred pkg. Stk. #5670. M.S.R.P. \$15,851.
RETAIL LEASE **\$179*** 30 MOS.
CHRYSL. EMPLOYEE LEASE **\$159*** 30 MOS.

ARBOR DODGE USED CARS

SPECIALS

'93 JEEP CHEROKEE 4X4
V-6, auto, p.s., p.b., p.l., cruise, tilt, air, AM/FM stereo, bucket seats, 7 defog., extra clean, must see! Stk. #594
WAS \$20,569
NOW ONLY **\$15,988**

'94 DODGE RAM 1 TON
DUAL AXLE
V-8, loaded, SLT, package, 7,000 miles, 4x4. Stk. #713
WAS \$24,700
NOW ONLY **\$22,777**

'91 CHRYSLER 5TH AVE.
MARK CROSS EDITION
Loaded - Loaded - Loaded!
WAS \$15,985 Stk. #761
NOW ONLY **\$11,577**

'92 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL
Auto, p.s., p.b., p.w., pwr. seats, cass., cruise, air, tilt, AM/FM stereo, loaded, moon roof, leather. Beautiful luxury car. Stk. #633
WAS \$17,345
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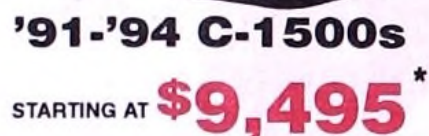
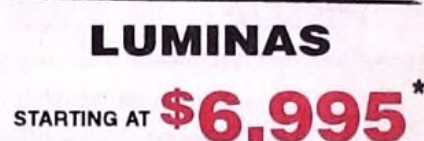
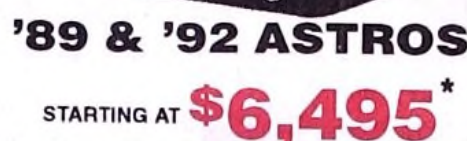
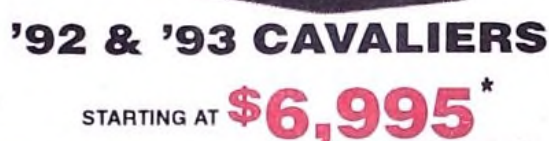
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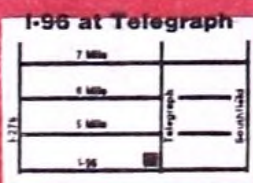
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Belleville better than anyone else at own relays

Tigers repeat

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Sports Editor

Belleville runners proved that they were better than anyone else at their own track & field relays.

Staged under near perfect weather conditions, Belleville coach George Devore and his club edged Plymouth-Salem by five points to capture the 1995 edition of the Belleville Track

& Field Championships.

It is the first invitational victory for Devore, who was an assistant last year to coach Dave Medley. Medley had won the title in 1994, the year he decided to step down as head coach to spend more time with his family.

"I am very pleased with the overall performance of this team," noted Devore. "It was a very close meet and a crowd-pleaser. We were missing some team members, so I am especially pleased that the other kids managed to step up their efforts."

Belleville compiled 71 points to Salem's 66 while Romulus finished third (59) in a

field of 11 local and area teams. The field also included: Walled Lake Central (50), Saline (46), Livonia Stevenson (42), Livonia Churchill (33), Wyandotte (32), Plymouth-Canton (20), Garden City (15) and Taylor Truman (1).

Belleville runners also claimed five gold medals - three in the relays and two individuals.

Junior Kevin Robinson won the 110-meter high hurdles for the Tigers as he led Romulus' Jeremy Castle and Jamal McCain also of Romulus to the wire. The winning time was posted as 14.76. Castle was

See **REPEAT**, page C-2

Wayne gives champ scare

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Sports Editor

Wayne Memorial, which put together a track team at the 12th hour because of money problems, gave defending Mega Conference Red Division champ, Belleville, a scare in their first encounter of the season.

"I felt our kids performed well against them," said Wayne coach Floyd Carter, after the

Zebras dropped a 75-62 decision to their arch-rivals on Thursday. "We spotted them the pole vault because we don't have a vaulter."

Wayne also was minus the services of Lorenzo Guess, a multitasking athlete who sustained a leg injury during an AAU basketball game.

Despite the handicap, Wayne produced three double-event winners as Corey McClelland, Ken Riley and Richard Johnson each accounted for two wins. McClelland's toss - his best of the year - of 149 feet in the discus won that event. He also had a put of 45'11" to win the shot put competition.

Wayne also claimed the high and low hurdles with Ken Riley. Riley finished the highs in 15.5 and the 300-meter lows in 42.4. Johnson hit the tape first for the 400-meters (54.3), and he also anchored the winning 800-meter relay with Riley, Richard Buford and Darrell Johnson rounding out the foursome.

Wayne's Jason Blanks also won the 800-meters in 2:14.1.

Carter's 1,600-meter relay team of Riley, Dwayne Jackson, Blanks and Richard Johnson finished first in 3:48.7.

The champs replied with a double victory by Nate Lewis,

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3-on-3 hoops deadline nears

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Sports Editor

If you're planning to play in the area's inaugural 3-on-3 Hoops-arama, you have until 5 p.m. Friday to register your team.

The 3-on-3, cosponsored by Michigan Community Newspapers and the Wayne Memorial Varsity Team will be staged all-day on May 13 at the Wayne Memorial Alumni Center.

The Alumni Center is located adjacent to the high school, 3001 Fourth Street in Wayne.

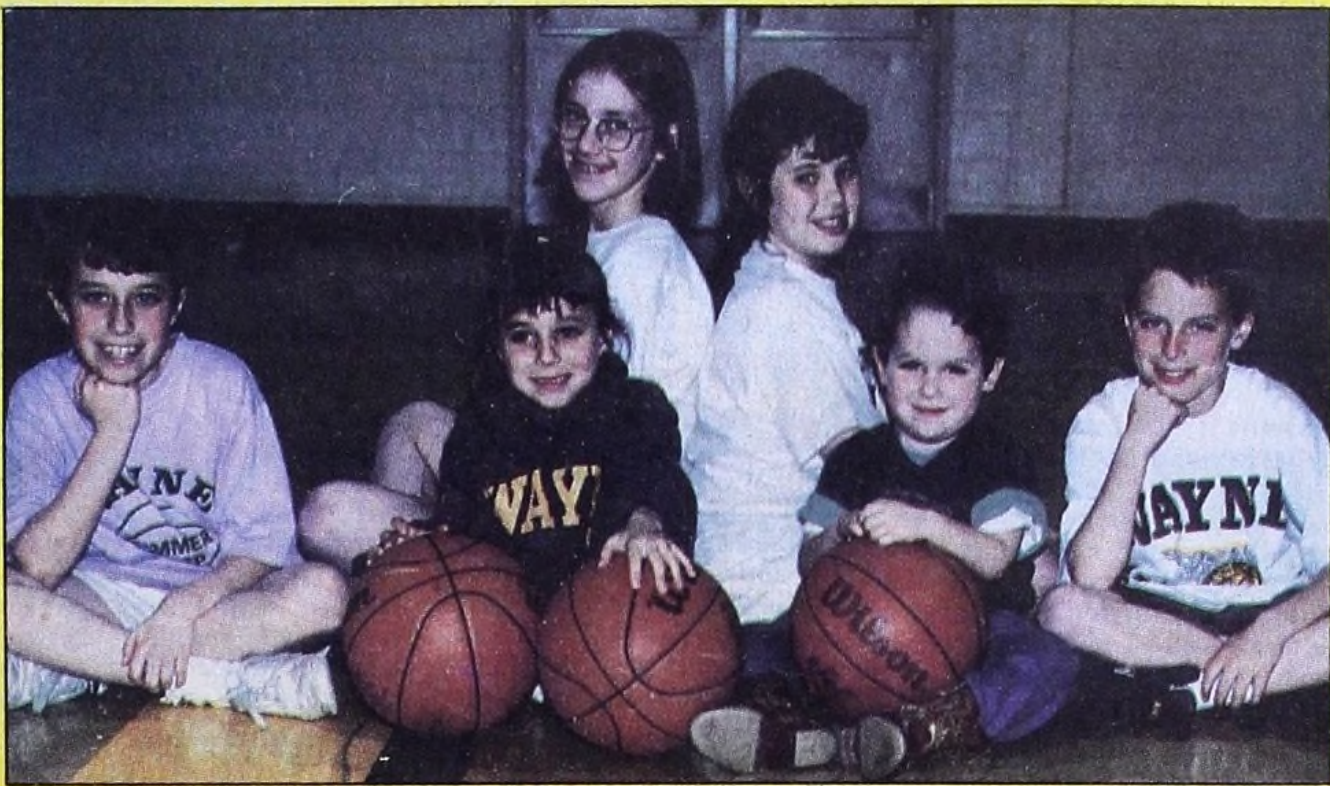
Wayne veteran basketball coach Chuck Henry, the MCN's Coach of the Year, will serve as tournament director.

Henry also will have on hand to help officiate games such as notables as Lorenzo Guess, the MCN's Player of the Year and other members of the varsity team which won the Mega Conference Red Division, district and regional championships.

"Because this is a first-time tournament, there have been a lot of questions raised about it," said Henry. "Basically, it's for youngsters, both boys and girls, who love to play basketball. The format is simple and, like the adult version, the winner advances until a champion is declared."

The 3-on-3 is open to all boys and girls, ages 8 to 15, who will compete in the following age divisions: 8-9; 10-11; 12-13; and 14-15.

Teams are limited to four players and a team representative. There is a \$30 per four-player team registration fee, and checks are to



Fine-tuning their basketball skills for the upcoming Michigan Community Newspapers-Wayne Memorial Varsity Basketball Team's inaugural 3-on-3 Hoops-arama is Amy Henry, (photo, at right) who shows she has already developed an eye for the basket while dribbling. Amy happens to be the daughter of Wayne Memorial coach Chuck Henry, who is the tournament director for the 3-on-3 tournament. The 3-on-3 tourney will be staged May 13 at the Wayne Memorial Alumni Arena. Local and area youngsters are invited to compete in the first of its kind tournament designed for junior cagers, ages eight to 15. There is a \$30 registration fee which must be mailed to Coach Henry before 5 p.m. Friday. Parents and team representatives who want more information may contact coach Henry at 595-2200 or MCN Sports Editor Tom Mooradian at 729-4000. Also pictured above are future cage stars Amy, Danielle, Donald and Charles Henry (first row) and Amy Paling along with Margie Henry (back row). MCN photo by Kimberly Woloskie

be made payable to Coach Chuck Henry.

Entry blanks may be found on today's sports pages, Section C, Page 2.

Teams from any of the areas that the Michigan Community Newspapers is circulated are eligible to play in the tournament. The MCN publishes six community newspapers: The Belleville Enterprise, The Romulus Roman, The Wayne Eagle, The Westland Eagle, The Canton Eagle and The Inkster Ledger

Star.

The MCN also publishes a Sunday weekend edition, Eyewitness.

There are many adult 3-on-3 tournaments staged locally and around the state, but this is the first local 3-on-3 for young players, Henry stressed.

"We believe that this will be good experience for those who love to play basketball," Henry said. "We are looking forward to seeing what kind of response

we get. We could make this an annual affair."

T-Shirts will be awarded to the champions in each division.

If parents, players or team representatives need further information, they are urged to contact Coach Henry at 595-2200 or MCN staff writer Tom Mooradian. Mooradian can be reached at 729-4000 during regular business hours, Monday through Friday.



Sending message? Romulus buries future baseball foes

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Sports Editor

With two impressive baseball victories over two future conference rivals, is Romulus trying to send a message to its future baseball foes in the Mega Conference Red Division?

Apparently so. Coach Don Foley and his Eagles, who are independent at this stage of the game, will be Red Division members a year from now. And future foes Fordson and Wyandotte learned quickly that the Eagles will not be pushovers or easy "W"s on the diamond.

Romulus ripped Dearborn Fordson 12-0 as winning pitcher Steve O'Connor fired his second consecutive two-hitter. This one, however, was cut short because of the "mercy rule."

O'Connor, in his five innings of work, struck out seven and walked two for his second win.

Romulus bats exploded for 12 hits, with slugger Gary Harris turning in with a perfect three for three, including a pair of doubles. Mario Thomason, Dan Czajkowski and O'Connor also collected two hits each, while Shaun Lee and Jeff Hatfield accounted for two runs batted in.

Junior Romulus hurler Ryan Evans shut out the Bruins of Wyandotte, 2-0, as he tossed a three-hitter. Evans notched nine strikeouts and walked only one in his first victory of the current campaign.

The Eagles got all the runs they apparently needed in the second inning when Thomason walked, was sacrificed to second and scored on a bloop-single by Evans. They collected an insurance tally in the sixth with two-away as Thomason again walked and, with James Justice getting into the game as a substitute runner for Thomason, stole second and scored on an O'Connor double.

"We have been playing real solid baseball in our last seven games," said Foley after the Eagles' trip to Ann Arbor where they competed in the Cliff Keen Invitational. "The kids are showing a lot of confidence which is definitely helping our game."

At the Keen, however, Ann Arbor Huron jolted the Eagles with five runs in the bottom of the seventh to pull out an 8-7 heartbreaking (for Romulus) victory. The Eagles were well on the

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Walled Lake puts Glenn on ropes

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Sports Editor

Westland John Glenn, the defending Western Lakes Conference baseball champ, finds itself on the ropes this week after losing a 5-3 decision to Walled Lake Central on Friday.

"We can't afford another loss," said Glenn coach Norm Hoenes, who called this week "a crucial one" in the Rockets' bid for a title repeat.

"We dodged the bullet all day against Central and they finally caught us with a four-run fifth."

Although the Westlanders came back with a three-run rally in the last of the seventh, they fell short and dropped their second consecutive conference game.

Starting pitcher Gary Farrar was tagged with the loss after working 5 1/3 innings and giving up four of the five hits. His record stands at 2-2.

Earlier in the week, Livonia Franklin humiliated the Rockets, handling them their worst setback in recent years, 12-0.

Glenn managed to salvage one victory for the week as the Rockets surfaced on top of a 7-2 decision against North Farmington. Farrar got the win as he twirled a six-hitter, fanned seven but walked six.

Bryan Moran, tagged for 12 hits including three each by Trevor Davey, Jason Robertson and Jamie Hagelthorn, digested the loss.

Glenn will rest today after taking on Plymouth-Salem (Monday) and Farmington Harrison (Tuesday). They played Churchill yesterday, weather permitting, before traveling to Farmington for a Friday afternoon encounter.

On Saturday, Glenn is at home to Northville.

Wayne bounces back

Wayne Memorial took out its frustration of losing two consecutive Mega Conference games on Southgate Anderson.

With hurler Al Thomason chalking up his second straight triumph, Wayne turned back Anderson, 12-1, on Friday.

Earlier in the week, coach Jim Chronowski's Zebras were shut out by title hopeful, Lincoln Park, 6-0, and Garden City edged Wayne in an extra inning affair, 6-5.

Thomason notched seven strikeouts and walked two against Anderson, a game called after five because of the "mercy rule". According to a Michigan High School Athletic Association rule, an umpire may end a game after one of the teams has compiled a 10-run advantage.

Wayne sandwiched two two-run innings after striking for four in each of the fourth and fifth frames. Shannon Green led a 12-hit assault upon losing pitcher Tom Carr who gave up a triple and a double to Green whose bases-loaded triple emptied the bases and ended the game in the fifth.

Aaron Cagnon and Clark Boston each had two hits for the Zebras who hosted Belleville yesterday before traveling to Wyandotte on Friday.

Wayne wasted Green's three hits and Boston's four singles in the marathon against Garden City.

Green, who pitched the first 4 1/3 innings, was charged with the loss.



Louisiana bound

While coaches and well-wishers Jenny Madison (standing, from left), Jesse Shelby and Easter James watch, Inkster High basketball star Mariah Tatum affixes her signature to a document that will award her a four-year, full-ride athletic scholarship to the University of Baton Rouge (Louisiana) where Mariah will continue her career. One of the most exciting hoops stars in Inkster history, Tatum also was a member of the Detroit Police Athletic team that won a silver medal at the National PAL competitions staged in Pottstown, Penn. She was the team's MVP and a all-Suburban Athletic Conference pick three of the four years she played varsity. MCN photo by Carl Brown

Wayne seeks umpires

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Sports Editor

If you love to officiate baseball and know how to play by the rules, officials at the Wayne Baseball Association would like to talk to you.

WBA officials announced this week that they are seeking a few fine men and women who would like to officiate. They said that the officials must be 16 or older, and have a solid knowledge of baseball rules. They will be compensated for their time, according to WBA officials.

For further information, please telephone the WBA offices at 722-6400 or 326-9747.

The WBA season commences on May 20.

Tigers make their move in Mega Conference

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

Unheralded Belleville, with a younger and bolder look, is flexing its muscles in the Mega Conference Red Division.

Coach John Bertz's Tigers burst title-hopeful Monroe's bubble, 3-2, and stunned Garden City, 7-3, before edging Lincoln Park, 2-1, as Belleville moved to the top of the conference standings last week.

"I am extremely happy at the way the kids are playing," said Bertz, "however, I was also terribly disappointed at our performance against Ypsilanti Lincoln at the Keen Invitational."

Let's dispatch the Tiger coach's disappointment first before tackling the conference games.

Ypsilanti Lincoln, a Class B team, rallied in the late innings to win a 7-6 decision over Belleville in the nightcap of two invitational games played on Saturday. T.J. Bostic was the losing pitcher.

Earlier on Saturday, Belleville won by an identical score over Milan as Rodney Komaromi went the distance to chalk up the victory.

He received help from

Jacob Reeder who hammered a two-run double in the second for one of his two hits. Also, Kevin Clark came through with two hits in three at bats and also collected two RBIs.

Belleville returns to the Keen diamonds on Saturday to resume its quest for the tournament title. The Tigers square off with Ypsilanti High at 9 a.m. and then at noon will travel to Willow Run High for a showdown with Manchester.

Meanwhile, the Tiger league schedule this week includes a trip to Taylor Center today after clashing with al-

ways-tough Wayne Memorial yesterday.

Belleville opened the 4-1 week by rallying from a 2-0 deficit on Monday against Monroe to win a cliffhanger, 3-2, in the eighth. The Tigers scored the decisive run with T.J. Bostic's leadoff single. Bostic was erased when Josh Flaig hit into a fielder's choice. Flaig then proceeded to steal second and he eventually scored on Rodney Komaromi two-out bloop single to left field.

Belleville tied the game in the bottom of the seventh thanks to singles by Jason Vogelsberg and Matt Davenport. Mike Kinzel then drilled a base hit, scoring the first Tiger run and James Garland came through with a two-strike, two-out single that accounted for the tying run.

Kinzel went the distance and retired the last 15 batters he faced. The junior right-hander twirled a three-hitter. He fanned six and walked three.

Jacob Reeder scattered two Garden City hits in Belleville's 7-3 first-ever conference victory over Garden City. The Tiger southpaw notched eight strikeouts and also issued an equal number of walks.

Davenport, who connected for a triple and single, and Bostic also with two hits, both singles, led a nine-hit assault.

Against Lincoln Park and coach Tom Nolan, the Tigers carved out a key 2-1 victory to move to the top of the conference standings with a 3-1 record. LP scored an unearned sixth inning run to avoid the shutout.

Belleville scored the winning run in the top of the seventh after Kevin Clark worked losing pitcher Chad Smith for a walk, moved to second via a pass ball and scored on Flaig's two-out single to right field.

Fired-up Rockets shoot down Salem for No. 5 win

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

A fired-up Westland John Glenn took on Western Lakes Conference co-conference track leader, Plymouth-Salem, last week and came away with an impressive 85-52 victory.

The big victory was the fifth straight for the Rockets and Coach Jess Shough, who are now all alone in first place.

"This was a big victory for us," Shough admitted later. "Not only did we need this to keep our streak alive, but the seniors on this team until Thursday had never beaten Salem. They're very happy."

Glenn garnered 10 of the 17 first places as senior Brent Washington led the Rockets to wins in the 100-meters (11.6) and the long jump (20'3 1/2") competitions. Todd Peterson was first across the finish line for the 110-meter highs and the 300-meter low hurdles. He won the 110 in 15.16 and posted a 42.34 in winning the 300-meters.

Jake Baker placed first in the high jump (5'10") while teammate Eric Davey cleared 10 feet to win the pole vault.

Glenn also won the 800-meter run thanks to Joe Wojtowicz, who ran a 2:05.7 while Danny Berishaj was clocked in the winning time of 24.56 for the 200-meters.

The Rockets 400-meter relay, made up of Phil Allen, Charles Bailey, Berishaj and anchored by Washington stashed the event in Glenn's column with a 46.16. And the 800-meter relay did likewise with a lineup that included Sharmar Lott, Allen, Berishaj and Washington. The win-

"
This was a big victory for us.
- Jess Shough

ning time was 1:38.07.

Salem received a superb performance from Rocky Johnson who won both the shot put (45') and the discus toss (133'5").

Scott Pengelly also was a two-event winner against the Rockets as he toured the 1,600-meters in 4:48.7, and ran a 10:37.6 to win the 3,200-meters.

Salem, whose record dipped to 3-1, also claimed the 400-meter run with Jason Barylski, who won the event in 51.08.

Salem's distance relay teams won the 1,600 and the 3,200 runs.

The Westlanders will not be able to sit on their laurels. They have another tough test today when they travel to Farmington, a team that has the talent to win it all.

"Farmington will be tough," said Shough. "We can't afford a letdown at this time."

Earlier in the week, Glenn turned back natural rival, Wayne Memorial, 83-54, as the Rockets swept 11 of 17 events. Again Washington was a double winner: long jump 21' 2 1/4" and the 100-meters (11.19), while Peterson set a Glenn record in the 110-meter high hurdles. He broke the old mark of 14.9 with a 14.56.

But Peterson lost to Ken Riley in the 300-meter lows. Riley's time was 42.34. Peterson ran a 42.6.

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hoops standout, Ian Gold, led the pack across the finish line. His teammate, Nate Lewis, also an All-Area quarterback, was runnerup with 10.97. Romulus settled for third place with Ambrose Green (11.21).

Belleville had the winning twosome for the high jump relay. Another football-basketball star, Erik Szyndlar and Eric Summers won the gold. Szyndlar cleared 6'4" for the best individual effort, and Summers successfully negotiated 6'0" for a 12'4" total.

Saline high-jumpers won the silver (12'2"), and Walled Lake Central finished third

(11'10").

Devore put together a team made up of Lewis, Gold, Chris Cannon and Joe Manuel who won the 400-meter relay in the time of 44:36. Romulus' four-some of Eric Nunlee, Roy Chambers, Patrick Thomason and Thomas Taylor was second (44:53). Walled Lake Central had the third best time in 45.20.

Belleville's 800-meter relay lineup of Lewis, Gold, Cannon and Manuel again were untouchable. Their 1:32.88 gave them the gold. Romulus, with Taylor, Tyrone Tabb, Maurice Franklin and Thomason, earned the silver thanks to a 1:33.14 run. Wyandotte finished third in 1:34.41.

Romulus and coach Norbert Glover returned home with

three gold medals. The Eagles took the 4 by 400-meter relay with Castle, Tabb, Taylor and Green, who posted their fastest time of the season (3:28). In the shuttle hurdle relay, Glover also found gold with Castle, Brandon Deyampert, Jamal McCain and Randy Freson, who ran a 1:04.8.

Romulus dominated the long jump competition as the Eagles again won the gold thanks to Nick McKinney, a sophomore who soared 21'2" to provide the foundation for the victory. Teammate Deyampert leaped 20'2" and McCain had a 19'8" performance.

McCain also contributed a third place in the 110-meter hurdles as he toured the distance in 15.3.

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who leaped 21'5 1/2" in the long jump and ran a 11.63 to also take the 100-meter dash. Erik Szyndlar stopped at 5'8" to win the high jump and Ian Gold's 24.13 was good enough to stash

away the 200-meter dash.

Belleville Brian Mockeridge toured the 1,600 in 4:54.2 and Craig Hogg was clocked in 10:52.18 for the 3,200-meters for other Belleville triumphs. The Tigers' won the 400-meter relay with Greg Whitmore, Lewis, Manuel and Gold and also placed

first in the 3,200-meter relay with a lineup that included Hogg, Mockeridge, Ring and Josh Lyon, who were clocked in 9:16.3.

The victory was the second straight in the conference for Belleville and the first setback, in two starts, for Wayne.

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way to victory after they scored two runs in each of the second and fourth innings and single tallies in the third, sixth and seventh.

The River Rats came back after leading 1-0 in the first to tilt the scoreboard for two in the sixth before putting the decisive runs on the board in the last of the seventh.

O'Connor, who worked the first six innings, was charged with the loss. He gave up all five runs in the seventh and seven of Huron's eight hits. O'Connor was removed for right-hander Mike Deeton, who was the victim of a two-run error.

Evans continued to hit well, collecting a two-run single and Harris scored twice. Jeff Hatfield latched on to a two-run single for the winners.

Romulus scored two runs in the top of the seventh and appeared to be on its way to a win over Dexter in its second game of the Keen Tournament on Saturday. But the Eagles gave up two in the bottom of the seventh and were forced to settle for a 2-2 tie.

"We just couldn't hang on to the lead," said Foley.

Nick Locklear, who surrendered seven hits, struck out five, and walked four had the "tie" tagged to his record.

Czajkowski stroked a pair of single and drove in one of the two Romulus runs, while O'Connor also checked in with a single and double.

The Eagles were busy again this week. After clashing with Dearborn Heights Robichaud on Monday, they will travel to Willow Run today before returning to Ann Arbor to finish up play in the Keen Tournament.

At 9 a.m. Romulus takes on Chelsea at Ann Arbor Huron and also is scheduled to play at noon against Saline on Saturday.

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OBITUARIES

Causley, Leo

Leo Vincent Causley, 75, of Livonia died April 14 in Garden City.

He was born Nov. 28, 1919 in Detroit and was a retired employee of General Motors Corp. He served during World War II in the U.S. Marine Corps.

Survivors include his children, Vincent Paul of Jackson and Shan on Causley of Canton. He had two grandchildren, Shanon and Kimberly Causley.

Arrangements were made by Vermeulen Trust 100 Funeral Home and the Rev. Leonard Partensky officiated at services. Interment is at Knollwood Memorial Park in Canton. Memorial tributes may be made to the charity of Donor's Choice.

Disbrow, Vivian

Vivian Disbrow, 59, of Troy, Ohio died April 15 at Stouder Memorial Hospital in Troy.

She was employed by Troy Welcome Wagon and Chelsea Clothiers and was a graduate of Belleville High School.

Survivors include husband, Arthur R.; sons, Michael R. Disbrow of Oakwood, Ohio, Russell P. Disbrow of Canton, Colleen L. Meier of Frotsburg, Md., and Jennifer D. Disbrow of Purdue University in W. Lafayette, Ind.; sisters, Pauline Coffman of Suwannee, Fla., and Evalene Hanna of Pasadena, Texas, a brother Carlyn Childress of Princeton, Ky., and seven grandchildren.

Arrangements were made by Davic C. Brown Funeral Home and services were at First United Methodist Church in Troy, Ohio with Chaplain Linda Farley officiating. Interment is at Riverside Cemetery in Troy. Memorial contributions may be made to the Hippie Cancer Research Institute, the American Cancer Society or Hospice of Miami County, Ohio.

She was predeceased by her parents, Spurlin and Birchie Littlefield Childress.

Fearn, Margaret

Margaret E. (Ochodnicki) Fearn, 59, of Westland died April 12 at St. Mary's Hospital in Livonia.

She was born June 18, 1935 in Detroit and worked as a homemaker.

Survivors include her daughter, Susan E. Fearn of Dearborn; and sons, David C. (Karen) Fearn of Memphis, Tenn. and Danny J. Fearn of Moscow; sisters, Rose Deagle of Allen Park, Frances MacLennon of Westland and Clare Thomas of Westland. She had one grandchild, Danielle Fearn.

Cremation arrangements were made by Vermeulen Memorial Trust 100 Funeral Home, where the Rev. Leonard Partensky officiated. Memorial tributes may be made to the Cancer Foundation on Monroe Street in Dearborn.

Logan, Douglas

Douglas A. Logan, Jr. of Canton died April 10 at his residence.

He was born August 17, 1956 in Pontiac and served in the U.S. Army. He was a deputy county clerk in Texas.

Survivors include his sisters, Eleanor Jean Redner of Canton, Carol A. (James A.) Jablonski of Brighton, Debra Sue (Daryl) Logan-Hysell of Westland; brothers, Robert M. (Mary) Logan of Roseville, David M. (Tammy) Logan of Fort Hood, Texas and Ronald B. Logan of Virginia Beach, Va.; and his father, Douglas A. (Nelly) Logan, Sr.

Arrangements were made by Vermeulen Memorial Trust 100 Funeral Home in Westland. Interment is at Perry Mount Park Cemetery in Pontiac. Memorial tributes may be made to the P.W.A. of Houston, Texas in care of the Vermeulen Memorial Funeral Home.

Magda, Edward

Edward J. Magda, 62, of Belleville died April 10 at Saline Community Hospital.

He was a member of St. Anthony Catholic Church in Belleville.

He is survived by his wife, Joann (Andreski) Magda; daughters, Monica DeClercq of Maui, Hawaii and Michelle (James) Karol of Belleville; father, Albert Magda; brothers, George Magda of Willis, John Magda of Denver, Co., Marion Manners of Dexter, and Sylvia Bojanowski of Livonia. He had one grandchild.

He was predeceased by his mother, Anna (Kow) Magda.

Arrangements were made by David C. Brown Funeral Home in Belleville. The Rev. Thomas H. Cusick officiated at services. Interment is at St. Edwards Cemetery in Kinde,

Padgett, Robert

Robert E. Padgett, 63, of Belleville, died April 8 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

He worked as a truck driver for Park Chemical Co.

Survivors include his wife, Suzie (Burge) Padgett; children, Jean Mowrey of Yardley, Pa., Robert (Kim) Lemasters of Ann Arbor, Rhonda Lemasters, Randy Lemasters and Fred Padgett, all of Belleville, and mother, Margaret (Lentz) McCauley. He was the brother of Delores Pacheco and Melvin Padgett of Corapolis, Penn. He had eight grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his father, a son Ronald E., a brother, William, and a sister, Renee Weber.

Arrangements were made by David C. Brown Funeral Home and the Rev. Thomas H. Cusick of St. Anthony Catholic Church officiated. Cremation rites were accorded.

Rudolph, Billy

Billy Ray Rudolph, 53, of Detroit died April 9 at Henry Ford Hospital.

He was born Aug. 25, and was formerly of the Wayne-Westland area. He was disabled.

Survivors include his wife, Linda; daughter, Tina; son, Billy Ray; mother, Lena; sister, Dortha Tawril, and two grandchildren.

He was predeceased by his father, Garvie Rudolph, and three brothers, Charles, James and Joseph.

Arrangements were made by Uht Funeral Home with the Rev. Chris Richards officiating at services. Interment is at Cadillac Memorial Gardens West in Westland.

Sailus, Robert

Robert William Sailus, 65, of Lake LeAnn died April 10 at home.

He was born Nov. 18 in Hamtramck and was a long-time resident of Wayne, employed by American Airlines for more than 35 years.

Survivors include his wife, Geraldine (nee Schmuckal); sons, Steven (Kathy) of Tecumseh, Mark and Michael of Ann Arbor, and Jeffrey of Birmingham, Ala.; daughters, Stacy (William) Downing and Patricia (Thomas) Deere of Tecumseh. He had nine grandchildren and one sister, Gloria Sailus of Dearborn Heights.

He was preceded in death by his parents, William and Ruth Sailus, his son, David, and a brother, Leonard.

Arrangements were made by Braun Funeral Home in Brooklyn with a Mass celebrated at St. Rita Catholic Church in Clark Lake. Interment will be at Parkview Memorial Park in Livonia. Memorial contributions may be made by Hospice of Jackson.

Schafer, Lafe

Lafe William Schafer, 86, of Wayne died April 11 at Dearborn Heights Convalescent Center.

He was born May 26, 1908 and had been an ironworker.

Survivors include his wife, Helen (Mosley) Schafer; sons, Phillip William Schafer of San Antonio, Texas, and Lawrence E. Schafer of Uncasville, Conn.; sisters, Ethel Laughlin of Monroe and Bonnie Hall of Flat Rock, N. C.. He had four grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Arrangements were made by Uht Funeral Home and the Rev. Jerry Yarnell officiated at services. Interment is at Maplewood Cemetery in Ida.

Tator, John

John H. Tator, 88, of Belleville died April 8 at Beyer Center of Oakwood Hospital in Ypsilanti.

He had a dental practice in Belleville for more than 45 years and was a member of Belleville First United Methodist Church, the Myrtle Lodge 89, F & AM and Belleville Rotary Club.

Survivors include his son, Robert W. (Christine) Tator; and a brother, Maurice L. Tator of Albany, N.Y. He had three granddaughters Stephanie, Kathryn and Alexandra, and three nieces.

He was predeceased by his wife, Wilma Crawford Tator, and his parents, Maurice L. and Ida (Haener) Tator, and a daughter, Sharlene.

Arrangements were made by David C. Brown Funeral Home and the Rev. David T. Strong of First United Methodist Church officiated. Interment is at Hillside Cemetery in Belleville. Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimers Association or the Michigan Cancer Foundation.

Cowherd, Charles

Charles Benedict Cowherd of Inkster died April 1, 1995.

He was the son of Squire Lincoln and Maggie Cessell.

Survivors include his wife, Pauline; three children, Theresa Holloway, Reede Cowherd Sr. and Cheryl B. Cowherd; four grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and a host of family and friends.

Services were conducted at the Holy Family Catholic Church under the direction of the Penn Funeral Home. Interment was in Detroit Memorial Park of Redford.

Sharpely, Steven

Steven Cedrick Sharpely, 41, died April 13, 1995.

Born on Jan. 24, 1954, he was the son of Ira and Shirley Sharpely.

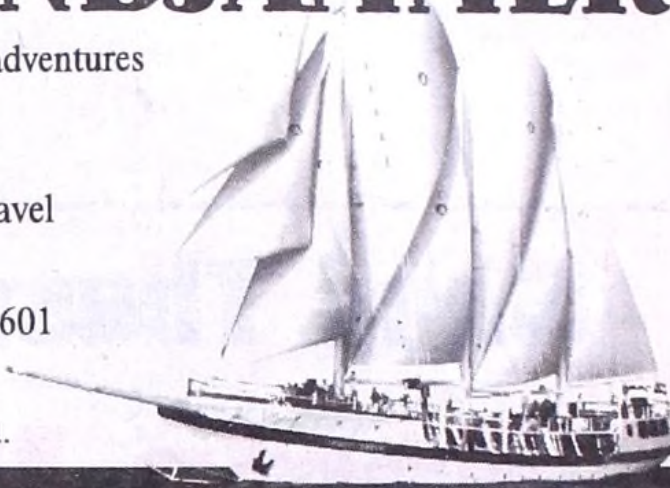
Survivors include his parents, Ira and Shirley Sharpely; his sister, Lora-Lynne Heath; his wife, Venita Love; three daughters, Sierra and twins Arianna and Avianna; and two sons, Jerry and Edward J'Leon.

The funeral was conducted by the Penn Funeral Home in Inkster with Bishop H.L. Jackson officiating. Interment was in United Memorial Gardens of Plymouth.

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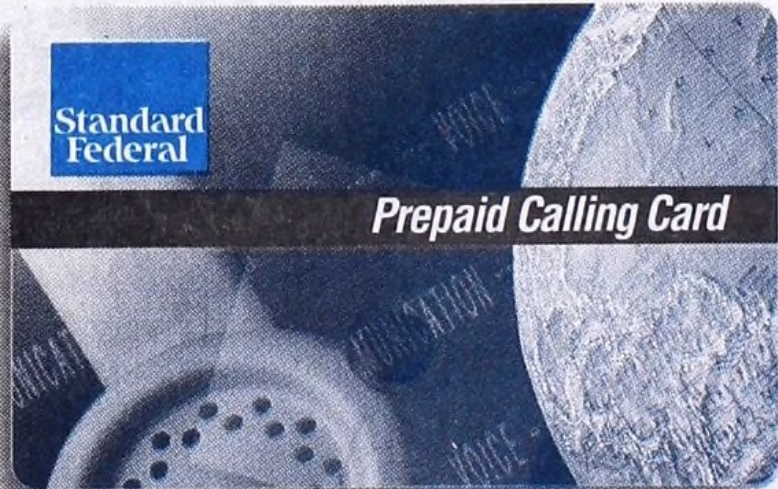
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ENGAGEMENTS

Kress-Voorheis

Phyllis Elizabeth Kress of Ypsilanti and Gerald Edward Voorheis of South Lyon have announced their engagement to be married on May 20, 1995 in Ypsilanti.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Peter and Lillian Kress of Belleville. She is a 1970 graduate of Belleville High School and earned her education degree in 1974 from Eastern Michigan University.

She currently is employed by Washtenaw County.

The groom-to-be is the son of Charlotte Voorheis of Saginaw and the late John Voorheis. He is a 1969 graduate of Arthur Hill High School in Saginaw and earned his engineering degree at the University of Michigan in 1977.

He currently is employed by WISNE Automation and Engineering.



Gerald Voorheis and Phyllis Kress

WEDDINGS

Robinson-Hilla

Laurecia Ann Robinson and Eric Wayne Hilla, both of Wayne, were united in marriage in a double-ring ceremony on Dec. 30, 1994 in Toledo, Ohio.

The bride is the daughter of Jim Robinson of Westland and the late Marilyn Robinson.

The bride's attire was created by her maid of honor, Sharon Siwula. It included a peach colored outfit with white lace overlay. A bouquet of peach colored roses was supplied by the bride's cousin, Krisi Vogt.

The maid of honor also wore a peach dress with white trim and a corsage.

The best man was Eric Wayne Hilla Jr.



Ervin-Hayes

Carletta LaRay Ervin and Cecil Anthony Hayes of Inkster were married March 25, 1995 in a double ring ceremony at the Greater Grace Temple in Taylor.

The bride is the daughter of Clyde and Georgella Ervin of Inkster and the groom is the son of Marilyn Jean McCray of Inkster.

The matron of honor was Sandra Green and the maid of honor was Gennell Herring, best friends of the bride.

The bridesmaids were Carla Jones, sister of the bride; Tamecia Lewis, daughter of the bride; Keisha Hamilton, cousin of the groom; and Natina Jenkins, niece of the bride.

Chelsea Green and Jazziman Dillar were the flower girls and Drake Roettger was the ring bearer.

bearer.

The best men were Armin Dickson and Fredrick McCray. The ushers were Steve Hayes, Michael Hayes and Frank McCray.

The officiating clergyman was Pentecostal Pastor Gary Harper.

The Lord's Prayer was sung by Theresa Thomas and the processional for the bride was *You Are So Beautiful* sung by Vondale Tate.

The bride wore a fitted white lace and satin dress with hand sewn bows inward down the sleeves and front.

The bride was given away by both her mother and father. Approximately 150 attended the wedding.

The bride's mother wore an off white dress with a pearl beaded top and tulip bottom.

The bridegroom's mother wore a light pink two-piece dress covered with pearls and beads.

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With Mother's Day right around the corner, everyone will be searching for the perfect gift.

If you're looking for something unique and really special, there are several ideas you might want to consider this year.

You've seen mom in action 364 days a year: kids, career, home, classes, Little League, Girl Scouts. The list is endless. She seems to do it all, but stress definitely takes its toll on her. Wouldn't it be great for her to do something for herself?

Instead of presenting mom with the customary flower arrangement, nightgown or designer perfume, why not give her quality time for herself.

On the day of the year dedicated to this special woman, give her a gift of relaxation and rejuvenation-the ultimate gift of health and beauty.

What better way to thank her, and it's easier than you think since gift certificates are available at most health spas.

According to Tamara Friedman, owner of Tamara Institut De Beaute in Farmington Hills, the number one reason people go to health spas is to relax and reduce everyday stress.

Whether it's a two-hour mini-vacation or an entire day "getaway", the local spa is the perfect escape for an overstressed mind and body.

Tamara's offers a diverse selection of services guaranteed to relax even the most stressed-out person. Traditional spa therapies include: several facials (from \$55) to promote a softer, smoother, more resilient skin; therapeutic body massages (from \$45); reflexology (\$27); salt glow treatment (\$45); hot oil manicure (\$14); pedicure (\$31); and waxing treatments (from \$10).

"This kind of treatment is not just for the rich and famous any more," said Friedman. "It's for people who just care about their health. Anyone who experiences these services will leave feeling totally refreshed, renewed, and invigorated."

"You can find something for everyone because all of us deserve pampering whether it's a manicure, a one-hour body

"This kind of treatment is not just for the rich and famous any more."

- Tamara Friedman

message or just relaxing in the jacuzzi."

With several different treatments to choose from, one could indulge their mother in the most special way possible. Since gift certificates are available from \$14 to \$400, there are gift ideas to accommodate everyone's budget.

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Why not treat your mom and yourself with an afternoon

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shared together? Designed to reduce stress, stimulate and beautify, Tamara's also features the Mother/Daughter Champagne Treat which would be a very special day of sharing time together in a very relaxing, stress-free environment.

Another unique gift idea is the gift of permanent makeup. Friedman, one of the leading experts in this field, says her clients come to her for a variety of reasons.

For some it's to create something that isn't there such as an eyebrow. For others, it's to erase a beauty flaw or to disguise scarring caused by an accident.

Friedman has treated clients from the tri-county area, and is quick to point out that permanent makeup isn't just for the wealthy.

"My customers include all occupational and income levels," said Friedman. "I have housewives from Warren, factory workers from GM and high-powered attorneys. It's unbelievable."

This is not only the answer for the busy mother looking for carefree ways to manage her appearance and looks, but can be essential for the slightly-impaired woman.

This treatment is also for the woman who, because of health reasons, has experienced a hair loss due to chemotherapy or radiation. For those who have no other options, permanent makeup can really be a Godsend.

Noreen Aberly of Bloomfield Hills recently had surgery which left facial scars. She tried permanent makeup to correct and cover the scars.

"I can't begin to tell you what this has done for my ego," said Aberly. "It is so wonderful waking up in the morning and looking in the mirror and feeling beautiful again."

Enough said. Make your choice. This is a day in which you celebrate the wonderful woman you call mom. A time when you show her how much you love her and thank her for all that she has done for you.

The gift of health and beauty is the most beautiful gift of all, and, just remember, it's as close as your local health and beauty spa.

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OBITUARIES

Spencer, Lisa

Lisa Marie Spencer, 36, of Van Buren Township, died March 21, 1995.

Born on Jan. 8, 1959, she was a homemaker.

Survivors include a daughter, Nicole; her parents, David (June) Jones and William Spencer; two sisters, Julie Cotter and Laurie Moore; a brother, Robert Spencer; and a close friend, Wayne Kilgore.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with Pastor Eldon Lee officiating. Interment was in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West, Westland.

Clemons, Clyde

Clyde Clemons Jr., 63, of Romulus, died on April 13, 1995 at William Beaumont Hospital.

Born on Sept. 13, 1932, he was the son of Clyde Sr. and Lavinia. He later served with the U.S. Army. He also had a 30-year career in

mortuary science.

Survivors include his wife, Georgetta; four children, Phillip, Reginald, Stephanie and Xavier and a host of relatives and friends.

The funeral was at the Penn Funeral Home with Superintendent James L. Whitehead Jr. officiating. Interment was at the United Memorial Gardens in Plymouth.

Williams, Eddie

Eddie P. Williams, 82, of Inkster, died April 11, 1995.

Born on Feb. 12, 1913, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Williams in Monroe, La.

Survivors include three children, Kerry, Delores and Diane; 16 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and a host of cousins, relatives and friends.

He was predeceased by his companion, Mary B. Hayes, and a daughter, Deborah Ann.

The funeral was at the Penn Funeral Home with the Rev. Clifford Ford officiating. Interment was in Detroit Memorial Park in Redford.

Smith, Marian

Marian M. Smith, 62, of Inkster, died April 17, 1995 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne.

Born on March 10, 1933 in Inkster, she was the daughter of Ina M. (LaChance) and Melvin J. Grogitsky.

Survivors include her mother, Ina M. LaChance of Inkster; three sons, Kevin J. of Inkster, Randy E. of New Boston and Larry L. of Taylor; three daughters, Christina Smith of Inkster, Mrs. Carla (Jeffrey) Coleman of Detroit and

Marcia (Glenn) Vadney of Virginia Beach, Va.; and a brother, Francis M. Grogitsky of Phoenix, Ariz.

The funeral was offered at the Crane Funeral Home of Romulus.

Fry, Reba

Reba Nell Fry, 64, of Calvert City, Ken., died March 27, 1995 in Western Baptist Hospital in Paducah, Ky.

Born on July 1, 1930 in Western Baptist Hospital, she was the daughter of Allie Dee (White) and John William Horton.

Survivors include her husband, Clarence; two sons, John W. Fry of Wayne and Alvin W. Fry of Calvert City, Ken.; a brother, William A. Horton of Nashville, Tenn.; a sister, Bernice Lanier of Romulus; and five grandchildren.

The funeral was at the Crane Funeral Home of Romulus. The Rev. Bradford Lewis of the Community United Methodist Church officiated.

Skaggs, Arvill

Arvill Almond Skaggs, 71, of Ann Arbor, died April 14, 1995 at the University of Michigan Hospitals.

He was born on Sept. 18, 1923 and was a 1950 graduate of Norman University Law School.

Survivors include a daughter, Theresa (Chris) Happner; a sister, Dorothy Speeberg; a sister-in-law, Louise Skaggs; a grandson, Joshua.

The funeral was at Lents Chapel, Harry J. Will Funeral Home in Wayne. The Rev. Frank Howard officiated. Interment was in Glenwood Cemetery of Wayne.



Work day

Last Thursday, Jacquelyn Walker (left) of the Inkster Building Department explained some of her duties to Tahitia Hicks who was one of the participants in Take Our Daughters to Work Day. Tahitia was the guest of Michigan Community Newspapers, and spent the day observing the various duties of the writers and editors. MCN photo by Joan Dyer-Zinner

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I am first attracted to a man by his personality! I am a 5', 175 pound, 20 year old, nonsmoking, black mom. I go to school. I have a baby. I love swimming, dancing, music, going out, dining out, and fun activities. You are loving, warm, and caring. You listen to my problems. #30639

I am a 5'3", 135 pound, 25 year old, nonsmoking, white female. I have a college education. Let's share our similar interests. Please give me a call! #17563

I love reading, writing, shows, dining out, children, and a variety of activities. I am a 5'1", 110 pound, 25 year old, nonsmoking, black female. I have brown skin, and light-brown eyes. I work, and I am attending a school to learn nursing. Call me. #31947

You are a man who is old enough to know what he wants, and young enough to go for it! I am a 5'6", 160 pound, 32 year old, nonsmoking, black mom. I have dark skin, brown eyes, and black hair. I am a luscious female. Call me. #22131

The first thing that attracts me to a man is his looks. I am a 5'5", 21 year old black female. I am light skinned. I am looking for a man that is truthful, loving, and tall. Race doesn't matter. #16135

I am 5'5", 120 lbs, 35 year old black female. I am looking for a black male between the ages of 35-38, that is intelligent, and likes to work. I like going to movies, plays, and church. #15656

Are you a honest nonsmoking guy? I am 5'4", 48 year old white female. I have auburn hair, and brown eyes. I am looking for a nice guy with a good sense of humor, and down to earth. I like bowling, volleyball, playing cards, and laughing. #15813

I like plays and quiet evenings at home. I am a 5'5", 165 lb, 31 year old, black female. I am medium height and build. I have a light complexion, dark hair and dark eyes. If you would like to meet me, give me a call. #26447

Are you handsome, intelligent, and understanding with a job? I am a 5'9", 160 lb, 21 year old, nonsmoking, black female. If you would like to meet me, give me a call. #26647

Do you want something out of life? I am a 5'4", 144 pound, 44 year old, nonsmoking, black female. I enjoy sports, jazz, blues, and church. Let us share our time together. #18666

Are you about 43 years of age? Are you open, honest, good-looking, and sincere? I am a 5'3", 175 pound, 43 year old, white female. I have blonde hair, and brown eyes. I enjoy everything. #27553

Are you a 19-22 year old, single, white male who is ready for friendship, and maybe more? I am a 5'11", 93 pound, 20 year old, nonsmoking, white female. I am in college as a culinary art student majoring to be a chef. I have brown hair, and brown eyes. I love sports, music, plays, outdoor activities, camping, fishing, dining out, movies, videos, shooting pool, and romance. Let's correspond! #15655

You are a gentleman who is interested in romance, and fun! I am a 5'5", 137 pound, 30 year old, nonsmoking, black female. I have red-brown hair, and dark-brown eyes. I enjoy jazz clubs, outdoor activities, board games, and romance. #27895

Are you 25 years of age or older, and financially secure? You can be of any race. I am a 5'11", 125 pound, 19 year old, nonsmoking, black mom. I have long hair, and brown eyes. I enjoy dining out, movies, travel, and jazz music. Call me. #19154

I am attracted to a man by his sense of humor. I am a 5'5", 165 pound, 31 year old, white mom. I have brown hair, and green eyes. I am looking for a 35-45 year old, single, white male who is ready for fun, commitment, and a relationship that will lead to marriage. I am not looking for a casual relationship or head games. If you are interested, please give me a call. #28182

Are you employed and nice looking? I am a 5'5", 180 lb, 29 year old, nonsmoking, black mom. I am looking for a friendship and possible relationship with an African American man, 25 to 40. If you are the man for me, call. #19148

I am a 5'4", 135 pound, 20 year old, nonsmoking, black male. I am looking for a professional man between the ages of 21 and 29 who is confident, and height-weight proportionate. I enjoy travel, museums, and nights out on the town. #26322

I am looking for a nice time and a friendship. I am a 5'8", 170 lb, 32 year old, nonsmoking, black mom. I am looking for a man who likes to have fun, travel, roller skate, bowl, and swim. I am flexible. I also like fishing. #25555

Are you a 6'1"-6'2", nice, employed, attractive male who likes children and shares similar interests! I am a 5'6", 190 pound, 25 year old, nonsmoking, black female. I have honey-blond hair, and hazel eyes. I like movies, malls, dining out, concerts, festivals, carnivals, and romance. #23543

I am outgoing. I am a 5'2", 130 pound, 30 year old, white female. I like outdoor activities, and fun. Give me a call to see what we have in common. If you think that we might be compatible, call. #24492

You are fun to be with. Let's get together and see how it goes. I am a 5'7", 145 pound, 25 year old, nonsmoking, white female. I have shoulder-length-auburn hair, and hazel-green eyes. I am a professional. I love sports such as volleyball, baseball, hockey, and basketball. I enjoy outdoor activities, biking, humor, and romance. #23135

I am looking for a strong man who is sensitive, and romantic! I am a 5'9", 150 pound, 33 year old, white female. I have blue eyes, and blonde hair. Call me. #23807

Are you a 20-30 year old, professional, employed male? I am a 5'3", 113 pound, 20 year old, nonsmoking, black female. I enjoy swimming, tennis, and romance. I have black hair. If you think that you might be interested in meeting me, give me a call. #15509

A military man is a plus! I am willing to relocate. I am a 5'2", 130 pound, 22 year old, nonsmoking, white mom. I have two children. I have sandy-blond hair, and blue eyes. I enjoy sports, camping, fishing, and outdoor activities. I am becoming a lawyer. #20092

Are you a 40-55 year old, serious, mature, fun, single or divorced, nonsmoking, working male with no mental hangups and no children? I am a 5'7", 145 pound, 47 year old, nonsmoking, black female. I am attractive, and educated. I enjoy social drinking, travel, and a variety of activities. #24558

Let's have a good, loyal, and trusting relationship. I am a 5'4", 139 pound, 49 year old, nonsmoking, white female. I work for American Express. I breed horses and dogs. I am a financial advisor. I enjoy jogging, sports, movies, theater, and dining out. #22907

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Are you a mature man in your 30's? I am 5'3", 115 lbs, 26 year old black mother. I am very attractive, light complexion, and shoulder length hair. If you are interested give me a call. #21074

Let us have a serious relationship! Are you a single, 30-36 year old, white, 6' or over, professional male? I am a 5'8", 130 pound, 29 year old, black female. Let us share our similar interests! #17345

Are you a 30-36 year old gentleman who is kind, gentle, laid back, and ready to settle down? I am a 5'4", 154 pound, 32 year old, nonsmoking, black female. I love biking, picnics, and time with my family. #14229

Are you smart and intelligent? I am a 5'6", 43 year old, nonsmoking, black female with a large build. I have a medium-brown complexion, short-thick hair, and pretty legs. I enjoy movies, music, reading, conversation, and romance. I am looking for a long-term friendship that will lead to something more. #15051

Are you a 50-59 year old ready for companionship? I am a 5'7", full-figured, 50 year old, black female. I like bowling, music, and good times. #20684

I am interested in tattoos, heavy metal, and bars. I am a 5'2", 115 pound, 24 year old, white female. I love going out, music, life, and romance. I would like to learn drums. I hope that you are a 22-30 year old, cool, sweet man who is in a band. #20346

I am a rapper, and I like to do hair. I am a 5'8", 175 pound, 19 year old, nonsmoking, black female. I have brown skin, and hazel eyes. I love parties, and taking my son out. #20231

Will you pamper me? I am a 5'3", 155 pound, 19 year old, black mom. I have light skin, brown hair, and brown eyes. You are financially stable, like children, and know how to have fun with me. #20285

Are you an intelligent and single male who is sincere, caring, healthy, fit, and well-cultured. You should have dark hair, and dark eyes. I am a 5'2", 125 pound, 38 year old, nonsmoking, white mom. I have blonde hair, and blue eyes. I enjoy music, reading, dining out, movies, and romance. #14828

You can have at least two kids. I am a 5'7", 139 pound, 19 year old, black female. I have brown hair. I am employed. Let us have fun together! I drink and smoke. I enjoy going out, bowling, fun activities, and movies. #8975

I am a 5'3", 140 pound, 18 year old, black female. Let us share our common interests. Please give me a call! #18370

I can't wait to meet you. I want to have a good time alone with you. I am a 5'8", 118 pound, 19 year old, nonsmoking, black female. I have brown eyes. I have two children and I hope that you are good with children. You should be between the ages of 20 and 30. #7962

This workaholic is looking for a professional man. I am a 5'11", 29 year old, nonsmoking, black mom. I have light skin and medium length hair. I enjoy movies, dancing, cooking, reading, and snuggling. #33458

Let us be lifetime companions. I am a 5'5", 21 year old, nonsmoking, black female. I have a tall appearance, brown skin, and long hair. I am attractive. Are you a tall, and black male in his 20's? You should be attractive, nice, and fun. #11846

I enjoy camping, skiing, and the outdoors. I am a 5'4", 125 lb, 29 year old, white mom. I have medium length brown hair and green eyes. I am looking for an honest, sincere man, 25 to 35 who has dark hair, a nice physique. #11878

I am an attractive and classy girl with a golden-brown complexion. I would like to go to the tropics and enjoy the beach. I am a 5'7", 135 pound, 38 year old, nonsmoking, black male. I enjoy jazz, and a variety of activities. I am looking for a 34-52 year old, height-weight proportionate, black male or mixed national. Let us enjoy the simple things in life such as walking, talking, picnics, jazz, romance, and our time together. I love candy and flowers. #11093

If I was on a deserted island I would like to have a good man with me. I am a 5'11", 155 pound, 22 year old, nonsmoking, white male. I love outdoor walks, quiet evenings with you, and romance. I have one son. I enjoy parks, roller blading, ice skating, snow-skiing, and water skiing. Call me! #14256

I am looking for a man that is ready to spoil me rotten. I am a 5'5", 140 pound, 20 year old, nonsmoking, black female. I have a milk-chocolate complexion, and juicy-red-luxious lips. I wear my hair in long braids. I enjoy clubs, movies, plays, poetry, and romance. You are a 28-29 year old, attractive, African-American who has dark skin. #87

Are you looking for a serious and long term relationship? I am a 5'2", 170 lb, 26 year old, nonsmoking, black mom. I am looking for a black man who is employed with a little direction in his life. If you are the man I seek, give me a call. #37939

Are you drug free, smoke free, and care free? I am a 5'3", 23 year old, nonsmoking, black mom. I enjoy relaxing, dining out, dancing, movies, and spending time with my children. I am looking for man with a nice personality who likes children. If you are the man I seek, give me a call. #11194

I am looking for a man who is honest, sincere, caring, and understanding. I am a 5'5", 25 year old, black mom. If this ad describes you then maybe we can talk. #7646

You are highly intelligent, and ready to share cozy evenings. I am a 5'6", 170 pound, 25 year old, black female. You are a professional male. #18092

Are you ready for a relationship? I have one daughter. I am old-fashioned. I am a 5'8", 39 year old, white mom. I love going to church, and a variety of interests. I am not looking for a one night stand. Please be the type that is not into the bar scene. You can drink occasionally. #22797

I am looking for a serious commitment in our relationship! I am a 5'6", 125 pound, 43 year old, nonsmoking, white mom. I have a one year old daughter. Let us have a one-to-one relationship. I love picnics, parks, movies, zoos, and quiet evenings with you. Age does not matter, although I do look young and prefer someone that does also. #7888

Do you have insights about life and are willing to take time out to smell the roses. I am a 5'8", 167 pound, 28 year old, nonsmoking, black mom. I have a medium build. You should be sincere and employed. You are a nonsmoker. I like cooking, travel, and dancing. #8173

I am attractive. I am a 5'2", 116 pound, 30 year old, black mom. I have two children. I enjoy hanging out, shows, and quiet moments at home. #16075

I am separated at the moment. I appreciate love, sincerity, honesty, maturity, self-reliance, self-sufficiency, and consideration. I am a 4'11", 36 year old, black mom. I have four children. I am an intelligent and independent person. You should love children. #31662

I am a 5'7", 135 lb, 28 year old black female. I like going to the movies, and listening to jazz music. I am looking for a man who is easy to talk to, and can be friends for now. #30549

Do you have a variety of interests? I am 5'0", 130 lb, 23 year old black female. I have light skin, and dark brown hair. I like to go to concerts, movies, listen to music of all kinds. I am looking for a man that is fun and romantic. #38730

I am a full-figure lady looking for a 30-40 year old, compatible male for a relationship, friends, and more! I am a 5'8", 34 year old, nonsmoking, black mom. I have a little girl. I am college educated, and a professional. I love singing, dancing, cooking, photography, movies, plays, concerts, dining out, driving, parks, traveling, and romance. #17469

I love a man with beautiful eyes. I come from France. I moved here when I was very young. I have long-red hair, and dark-brown eyes. I am a 5'6", 115 pound, 19 year old, nonsmoking, white female. I enjoy outdoor activities. #29326

If I were on a desert island, I would like to have a good book, and a good friend! I am a 5'8", 120 pound, 28 year old, nonsmoking, black mom. I have brown skin. I have a nice personality. You have a nice personality, are easy to talk to, easygoing, and open-minded. #7567

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Do you want the best out of life? I am a 6', 185 lb, 47 year old, black male. I have a strong belief in Christ and I am very romantic. I love to dance, travel, bowl, dine out, weight lifting, and going out. I am a very hard worker who knows how to treat a woman with love and respect. #13338

I am attractive. I enjoy dates, movies, and a variety of activities. I am a 5'8", 172 pound, 32 year old, white male. I have blue eyes, and short-brown hair. Call me. #21824

Are you a 25-35 year old female that enjoys going out, dining out, conversation, movies, and romance? I am a 5'10", 150 pound, 25 year old, nonsmoking, Asian male. I am an engineer. I hope that you are well-educated. #18745

My favorite type of music is jazz. I am a 6'2", 220 pound, 26 year old, nonsmoking, black male. I am athletic. Are you a 25-35 year old, black female. I am open to any religion. I enjoy sports, evenings out, dining out, walks in the park, and romance. #11962

The first thing that attracts me to a lady is her hair. Let's be casual, and have fun together. I am a 5'9", 175 pound, 28 year old, nonsmoking, Asian male. I have a stocky build. Call me. #17874

On a rainy afternoon I sit at home and listen to music. I am a 5'11", 260 pound, 21 year old, nonsmoking, white male. I have brown hair, and green eyes. I love sports, music, outdoor activities, writing, and talking. Call me. #24449

I prefer a blonde or a brunette. Let's share our similar interests. I am a 5'11", 160 pound, 35 year old, white male. I have brown hair, and green eyes. I love movies, cars, and my time with you. #32455

I am talkative, intelligent, affectionate, worldly, outgoing, and romantic. I am a 5'9", 145 pound, 49 year old, white male. I am a Vietnam veteran, and have traveled in my life. I am over a twenty year marriage. I enjoy fitness, and diet. Call me. #32495

Let's share or similar values, and interests. I am a 6'4", 175 pound, 21 year old, nonsmoking, nondrinking, drug-free, white male. I am in college. I have brown hair, and green eyes. I love working out, running, movies, conversation, and romance. #22057

Let's have a permanent commitment! I am a 5'10", 165 pound, 62 year old, nonsmoking, nondrinking, drug-free, white male. I am a widow. I am romantic, sincere, gentle, attractive, clean shaven, healthy, emotionally secure, and financially secure. I enjoy kissing, cuddling, being together, fishing, going south in the winters, going north in the summers, country music, and cards. I do dishes. You are sincere, and truthful. Let's share our interests, and expenses. #25696

I play guitar in a band. I hope that you are into the music scene. I am a 6'2", 190 pound, 18 year old, white male. Call me. #17500

Are you outgoing, romantic, and enjoy quiet evenings at home? I am a 5'8", 220 pound, 40 year old, nonsmoking, black dad. I have long-black hair. You like children, and a serious man. #16287

I am a 5'8", 155 pound, 26 year old, nonsmoking, black male. I have a college education. Let's share our similar interests. Please give me a call. #15903

I am a 6'1", 195 pound, 26 year old, nonsmoking, white male. I have brown hair, and green eyes. I am a professional. I enjoy basketball, baseball, football, comedy, evenings out, and fun activities. #15312

I would love to go to Hawaii for a romantic getaway. I am a 6', 215 pound, 23 year old, nonsmoking, white male. I have brown hair, and brown eyes. I love sports, movies, dining out, bars, and fun activities. #17863

Are you under 40 years of age? Are you an attractive, nonsmoking, white female who desires friendship, and a long-term relationship? I am a 6', 205 pound, 32 year old, nonsmoking, white male. I am financially secure, attractive, and employed. I have brown hair, and blue eyes. I enjoy fitness, working out, sports, concerts, and romance. #28229

You are sensitive, down-to-earth, and know what you want out of life! I am a 6', 180 pound, 19 year old, nonsmoking, black male. I have brown skin, pretty dimples, and a slim appearance. I enjoy cooking, poetry, going out, and romance. If you think that we have some things in common and you would like to meet me, please, give me a call. #21700

Are you an 18-22 year old female who has similar interests? I am a 5'4", 135 pound, 29 year old, nonsmoking, Asian male. I am a professional. I enjoy outdoor activities, dining out, movies, travel, fun, and romance. I moved from Hawaii. Call me. #19538

Are you an 18-25 year old, slim, trim, attractive female who is interested in dancing, going out, and having a good time? I am a 5'9", 160 pound, 27 year old, nonsmoking, white male. I have dark hair, dark eyes, and an attractive appearance. If you think that we might be compatible, please, give me a call. #32090

Anything once! Let's give it a try! I am a 5'10", 190 pound, 33 year old, white male. I have brown hair, a mustache, and blue eyes. You are a fit, and loving, white female. If you are the lady I seek, give me a call. #13890

How do you think about yourself? I am attracted to a lady with a good self-image. I am a 5', 162 pound, 20 year old, nonsmoking, white male. I have a large build. I enjoy water-skiing, snow-skiing, and a variety of activities. You are a 19-21 year old female who has blonde hair, and share similar interests. #19945

I love you for what you are, and you love me for what I am. I am a 5'9", 175 pound, 33 year old, nonsmoking, black male. You are a female with a stable mind and body. You love the simple life, a life with children. Let's build a future for ourselves, and communicate love to each other! #22789

Are you a 30-45 year old, bright female? I am a 5'7", 157 pound, 39 year old, white male. I enjoy reading, dining out, sports, and romance. I have blue eyes, and brown hair. Call me. #20120

Are you a 21-35 years of age female who is sensitive, down-to-earth, and caring? I am open to race! I am a 5'8", 170 pound, 26 year old, nonsmoking, black male. I enjoy reading, music, movies, dining out, and a variety of activities. #18659

I prefer women who are tall and thin! Are you a fox? I am a 5'11", 185 pound, 40 year old, white male. I have blonde hair, an athletic build, and brown eyes. I am easygoing. I like roller blading, and a variety of activities. I own my own business. Let's have fun, friendship, and a good time that is not too serious. #27017

I am 5'11", 145 lbs, 19 years old black male. I have brown hair and brown eyes. I have a mustache. I am looking for a person to have fun with, and someone that is outgoing. The first thing that attracts me to a lady is her appearance. #15405

I am 6'1", 200 lbs, 25 year old black male. I like to play basketball. I am looking for a lady 5'5", and taller. #15634

I am 5'5", 140 lbs, 31 year old black male. I have a medium build. I like basketball, and swimming. I am looking for a lady that is honest, and doesn't cheat on her man. #15777

I am 5'10", 170 lbs 27 year old white male. I am looking for a lady between the ages of 25-35, that is open minded, and sexy. I have brown hair and eyes. I like sports, and working out. #15819

I am 5'10", 195 lbs, 32 year old white male. I am looking for someone between the ages of 25-35, and that is outgoing. I have brown hair and blue eyes. I like skiing, and darts. I am looking for a monogamous relationship that could lead to marriage down the road. #15922

I am 6'0", 200 lbs,

